

A DESIRABLE FARM
AT PUBLIC SALE.

THE subscriber, surviving Executor of the Estate of HATZLER PITZER, deceased, will expose to Public Sale.

On Friday the 1st day of October next, at 1 o'clock, P. M., on the premises,

THE FARM.

late the residence of said deceased, situate in Franklin township, Adams county, adjoining lands of Peter Mickle, Hugh Scott, and Joseph Pitzer, containing

263 ACRES,

more or less. There is a due proportion of Meadow, and 70 or 80 Acres of first rate TIMBER. The improvements are a large

BRICK HOUSE, with a Frame Building attached, the whole furnishing eleven rooms; an excellent Log BARN, and other out-buildings; a small TENANT HOUSE; Cider-press; and a Brick Spring-house, over a first rate spring of water. There are

Two Orchards,

of choice Fruit, equal to any in the County. The Farm is well watered; with never failing springs and streams. The above property is a very desirable one, and is well worth the attention of persons desiring a comfortable home.

Any person wishing to view the Farm, will be shown the same by Wm. McClell, living on the premises.

Attendance will be given and terms made known by

EMANUEL PITZER, Ec.

Sept. 13. id

If the property is not sold on said day, it will be RENTED.

TAVERN STAND FOR SALE.

THE subscriber, Assignee of ISAAC YOUNT, will offer at Public Sale, upon the premises,

On Saturday the 2d of October next, at 1 o'clock, P. M., the Real Estate of said Yount, consisting of

A TRACT OF LAND,

situate in Menallen township, Adams county, containing EIGHT ACRES, more or less, adjoining lands of Henry Koser, Jacob Peters, Henry Hartzell, and others, being at the intersection of the State Road leading from Gettysburg to Newville and the Menallen Road.

The improvements are a large LOG

Dwelling-house,

one and a half stories high, (having been long occupied as a TAVERN,) Frame BARN, Log BLACKSMITH'S SHOP, a well of water, with a pump in it, near the door, and a thriving YOUNG ORCHARD, containing a variety of Fruit Trees. There are about 3 Acres in Meadow, and the whole in a good state of cultivation, having been limed.

Attendance given and terms made known by

JACOB SHANK, Assignee.

Aug. 23. id

ASSIGNEE'S SALE
OF
REAL PROPERTY.

WILL BE EXPOSED TO PUBLIC SALE.

On Saturday the 2d of October next, on the premises,

A TRACT OF LAND,

situate in Menallen township, Adams county, about two miles west of Bendersville, containing

170 ACRES,

more or less. The improvements are a ONE AND A HALF STORY

Log Dwelling-house,

with three large rooms and two Kitchens below, a double LOG BARN, with SHEDS; a two story LOG WEAVER SHOP, with an excellent spring of water and a SPRING HOUSE, and a never-failing stream of water running through the Farm. Also,

A GOOD ORCHARD

of choice Fruit. About one hundred acres are cleared, and the balance well covered with good Chestnut and Oak Timber, with a good proportion of MEADOW.

Any person wishing to view the property, will be shown the same by John Thomas, living on the premises.

Purchasers are informed that the property must now be sold, and a BARGAIN may therefore be had.

Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, P. M., on said day, when due attendance will be given and terms made known by

ANTHONY DEARDORFF,

Assignee of John Thomas.

Sept. 6. id

PLAINFIELD NURSERIES,
NEAR YORK SPRINGS, ADAMS CO.

THE subscriber has from 25 to 30,000 Trees in his Nursery ready grown for this Fall and next Spring's planting, comprising a large amount of APPLE and PEACH, together with a general assortment of all the finer Fruits, also various kinds of

Shade and Ornamental Trees, which he will sell either at retail or by the thousand. Persons wishing to procure Trees for planting, or to sell again, can be accommodated any time after the 25th of October next.

WM. WRIGHT.

Aug. 30. 2m

Whoever wants a first-rate Time-Piece CAN be accommodated by calling at FRAZER'S Clock & Watch Establishment, in Chambersburg street, Gettysburg, next door to Mr. Buehler's Drug Store—where a new lot of beautiful 24 hour and 8 day CLOCKS have just been received from the City. They are of the best manufacture, and will be warranted. Give us a call—they will be sold cheap.

July 19. id

VALUABLE.
REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

THE subscriber, Administrator, de bonis non, of the Estate of HENRY WALTER, deceased, will offer at Public Sale,

On Friday the 1st day of October next,

THE FARM,

late the Estate of said deceased, situate in Menallen township, Adams county, adjoining lands of Nicholas Bushey, Esq., Joseph Deardorff, Jacob Shank and others, containing

217 ACRES,

more or less. There are about 30 Acres of good Meadow, and about 15 or 20 Acres of White Oak Timber. The improvements are a

DOUBLE TWO-STORY

BRICK HOUSE, with Brick Back Building, a Bank Barn, part stone and part log, a Still-house, Smith-shop, Spring-house, Wagon-shed, and Corn-crib, &c.; also, a TENANT HOUSE and STABLE on the Farm. There are TWO good ORCHARDS, one of 150, and the other of 400 young thriving Fruit Trees. There is a never-failing spring, and also running water through the Farm.

Any person wishing to view the premises, will call upon the Administrator, living on the adjoining farm of Charles F. Kenter, who will show the same.

The sale will commence at 10 o'clock, A. M., on the premises, when the terms will be made known by

JACOB G. WALTER,

Adm'r de bonis non.

By the Court—WM. S. HAMILTON, CLERK.

Aug. 23. id

If the above property is not sold on said day it will be RENTED.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE.

IN pursuance of an Order of the Orphans' Court of Adams county, the undersigned, Administrators of the Estate of F. W. KOELLER, Esq. deceased, will expose to Public Sale, upon the premises,

On Saturday the 2d of October next, the following, the REAL ESTATE of the said deceased, situate in the Borough of BERWICK, Adams county, viz.:

Three Lots of Ground,

in said Borough, bounded on the north by an alley, east by the Hanover and Berlin Turnpike, south by an alley, and west by lots of Mrs. Timmins, on which are erected a

TWO-STORY LOG

DWELLING-HOUSE, with a BARN and other OUT-BUILDINGS, late the residence of said deceased.—Also,

A Lot of Ground, in said Borough, containing FIVE ACRES, adjoining the York and Gettysburg Turnpike, lands of Michael Hoffman, and others.

The Administrators will also sell at the same time and place the remaining Personal Estate of said deceased, viz.:

PRINTING-PRESS & TYPES, upon which "THE INTELLIGENCER" has been printed.

Two ten-plate Stoves and Pipe, one Cooking-Stove, Desk, Cupboard, HAY, and other articles too numerous to mention.

Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, when attendance will be given, and terms made known by

JOHN ELDER, } ADM'RS.

JOHN FELTY, }

Aug. 30. id

EIGHT TEACHERS WANTED.

THE School Directors of Cumberland township, Adams county, will meet at the house of Conrad Snyder, in the Borough of Gettysburg,

On Saturday the 2d of October next, at 1 o'clock, P. M., to receive proposals, and supply TEACHERS for the several Schools in said Township.

JACOB BEAMER, Secy.

Aug. 30. id

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given to the Heirs and Distributees of FREDERICK BEARD, late of Hamilton township, Adams county, Pa., deceased, that the undersigned, Auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of said County, to make distribution of the assets remaining in the hands of JAMES WILSON, administrator de bonis non of said deceased, to and amongst said Heirs and Distributees, will attend for that purpose on Monday the 27th day of September, next, at the house of James A. Thompson, in Gettysburg, at 10 o'clock, A. M.

ROBERT SMITH, Auditor.

Sept. 6. id

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

ALL persons holding unsatisfied claims against me, are requested to make known the same duly authenticated, either to the subscriber, or to HENRY REILY, Esq., in Conowingo township, Adams county, on or before the first day of October next, with a view to their final liquidation; and all persons indebted to me are also required to call and make settlement and payment on or before that day.

JOHN LILLY.

Sept. 6. id

Gettysburg Water Company.
NOTICE.

THE Stockholders in this Company are hereby notified that the Installments are all now due; and as the Directors are about to re-commence operations, money is indispensable. They are therefore requested to make payment as soon as possible, to the subscriber, Treasurer of the Company.

J. B. M'PHERSON, Treasurer.

May 3. id

COLOGNE WATER, Beef Marrow, Bear's Oil, Musk Soap, Glenn's Saponaceous Compound, a delightful article for Shaving—for sale at Keller Kurtz's Book Store.

ALMANACS for 1848, for sale by the dozen, very low, by KELLER KURTZ.

PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, in and by the act of the General Assembly of this State, entitled "An Act to regulate the General Elections of this Commonwealth," enacted on the 2d day of July, 1839, it is enjoined on me to give public Notice of such election to be held, and to congregate in such Notice what Officers are to be elected: I BENJAMIN SCHRIVER, Sheriff of the County of Adams, do, therefore, hereby give this PUBLIC NOTICE to the Electors of the said County of Adams, that a

GENERAL ELECTION

will be held in said County, on the Second Tuesday of October next, (THE 12TH.)

at the several districts composed of the following Townships, viz:

In the First District, composed of the Borough of Gettysburg, and the Township of Cumberland, at the Court-house in Gettysburg.

In the Second District, composed of the Township of Germany, at the house now occupied by Joseph Barker, in the town of Littlestown, in the township of Germany.

In the Third District, composed of that part of the township of Berwick not included in the 15th District, at the house of John Miley, Esq., in the town of Oxford.

In the Fourth District, composed of the Townships of Lattimore and Huntingdon, at the house of William Chronister, in the township of Huntingdon.

In the Fifth District, composed of the Townships of Hamilton and Liberty, at the public School-house, in Millerstown.

In the Sixth District, composed of the Township of Hamilton, at the house now occupied by George Bantzel, in the town of Berlin.

In the Seventh District, composed of the Township of Menallen, at the house of Isaac Yount, in said township.

In the Eighth District, composed of the Township of Straban, at the house occupied by Jacob Grass, in Hunterstown.

In the Ninth District, composed of the Township of Franklin, at the house now occupied by Henry Hartman, in said township.

In the Tenth District, composed of the Township of Conowingo, at the house of John Busby, in M'Henrytown.

In the Eleventh District, composed of the Township of Tyrone, at the house of Samuel Sadler, in Hildersburg.

In the Twelfth District, composed of the Township of Mounjoy, at the house of Geo. Snyder, in said township.

In the Thirteenth District, composed of the Township of Mountpleasant, at the house of Anthony Smith, in said township, situate at the cross roads, the one leading from Oxford to the Two Taverns, the other from Hunterstown to Hanover.

In the Fourteenth District, composed of the Township of Reading, at the public School-house, in the town of Hanover.

In the Fifteenth District, composed of the Borough of Berwick, and that part of Berwick Township, ONLY, included within the following limits, to wit: beginning where the Hanover and Petersburg turnpike crosses the York county line, thence along said turnpike to the place where the road from Berlin to Oxford crosses the said turnpike, thence along said Oxford road until it intersects the new road from Geo. Mumert's farm, on the said Oxford road, and thence along said road to the York county line, near David Hollinger's saw mill, thence along said York county line to the place of beginning: at the public School-house, in Abbottstown.

In the Sixteenth District, composed of the Township of Freedom, at the house of Nicholas Moritz, in said township.

In the Seventeenth District, composed of the Township of Union, at the house of Enoch Leffer, in said township.

At which time and places will be elected

One Governor;

One Canal Commissioner;

One Senator;

One Representative in the State Legislature;

One County Commissioner;

One County Treasurer;

One Auditor; and

One Director of the Poor.

And in and by an act of the General Assembly of this State, passed the 2d day of July, 1839, it is directed that the INSPECTORS and JUDGES be at the places of their Districts on the day of the General Election aforesaid, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, to do and perform the several duties required and enjoined on them in and by the same Act.

And in and by virtue of the 14th Section of the act aforesaid, every Person, excepting Justices of the Peace, who shall hold any office or appointment of profit or trust under the Government of the United States, or of this State, or of any city or incorporated district, whether a commissioned officer, or otherwise, a subordinate officer or agent, who is, or shall be employed under the legislative, executive or judiciary department of this State, or of the United States, or of any city or incorporated district, and also that every member of Congress, and of the State Legislature, and of the Select or Common Council of any city, or Commissioner of any incorporated district, is by law incapable of holding or exercising at the same time, the office or appointment of Judge, Inspector, or Clerk of any election of this Commonwealth, and that no Judge, Inspector, or other officer of any such election shall be eligible to any office to be then voted for.

And be it further directed, in and by the act of the General Assembly of this State aforesaid, that one of the JUDGES of each of the different districts aforesaid, who shall have the charge of the certificate of the number of votes which shall have been given for each candidate for the different offices then and there voted for, at their respective districts, shall meet on the third day after the Election, which shall be on FRIDAY THE 10TH OF OCTOBER, AFORESAID, at the Court-house, in the Borough of Gettysburg, and there to make a full statement and certificate of the number of votes which shall have been given at the different districts in the county of Adams, for any person or persons for the offices aforesaid.

BENJAMIN SCHRIVER, SHERIFF.

Sheriff of the County of Adams.

September 13, 1847. id

REMOVAL.

ISAIAH J. CULP respectfully informs his friends and customers that he has removed his

Tailoring Establishment

to the room formerly occupied by Wm. Bell, deceased, opposite WAMPLER'S TINNERY, in Baltimore street, where he will be pleased to attend to the orders of all who wish to have work done up in fashionable style, and at low rates. Arrangements have been made to receive the

Latest Fashions,

from Philadelphia and New York, so that customers can rely on having their garments made in the most approved styles.

Country produce will be taken in exchange for work.

Gettysburg, Aug. 23. 3m

STATIONERY.—A large variety of Stationery, for sale at Keller Kurtz's Bookstore.

Poetry.

TWILIGHT HOUR.

This is the hour that I love best
Of all the hours of day.
When sinking slowly to his rest,
The day-god fades away;
When all so tranquil and serene,
The wind scarce breathes a sigh,
And here and there a star is seen
To twinkle in the sky.
Oh! this sweet hour doth seem to me
Almost as if 't were given,
When from the cares of day set free,
To raise the thoughts to heaven;
For as I watch the distant star,
That glows with many a star,
I think of that dear friend on high,
And that bright world afar;
I think of all the loved the lost,
Who from this world have flown,
And with the ransomed bravely lost,
Surround the Father's throne.
Oh! fancy waves her magic wand,
And mid the shade of night,
Those dear ones from the spirit-land
Will greet my ravish'd sight;
Or, as the zephyr's voice I hear
Sigh with a plaintive moan,
I often list with anxious ear
For some remembered tone—
Some voice that, here forever still,
In rapturous strains of love
Joins in the joyous songs that swell
The harmony above.

Miscellaneous.

THE WAY TO EMINENCE.

That distinguished jurist, Sir William Jones, after having made himself familiar with some twenty languages, and with the general circle of literature and science, made the following memorandum on the closing leaf of his Bible, in which he was, from childhood, deeply interested:

I have carefully and regularly perused these Holy Scriptures, and am of opinion that the volume, independent of its divine origin, contains more sublimity, purer morality, more important history, and finer strains of eloquence, than can be collected from all other books, in whatever language they may have been written.

The subjoined extract from a little volume entitled "Lute in Earnest," tells something of the early career of this eminent man, who was good from a proper study of the "book of books," and great from his own industry and application:

Long ago, a little boy was entered at Harrow School. He was put into a class beyond his years, and where all the scholars had the advantage of previous instruction denied to him. His master chid him for his dullness, and all his own efforts could not raise him from the lowest place on the form. But nothing daunted, he procured the grammars and other elementary books, which his class fellows had gone through in previous terms. He devoted the hours of play, and not a few of the hours of sleep, to the mastering of these, till in a few weeks he gradually began to rise, and it was not long till he shot far ahead of all his companions, and became not only the leader of that division, but the pride of Harrow. You may see the statue of that boy whose career began with this fit of energetic application, in St. Paul's Cathedral; for he lived to be the greatest Oriental scholar of modern Europe—it was Sir William Jones.

Anecdote of Franklin.—Dr. Benjamin Franklin at one time contemplated practising abstinence from animal food. "I hesitated some time," he says, "between principle and inclination, till at last recollecting that, when a cod had been opened, some small fish were found in its belly, I said to myself, if you eat one another, I see no reason why we may not eat you. I accordingly dined on the cod with no small degree of pleasure, and have since continued to eat like the rest of mankind, returning only occasionally to my vegetable plan. How convenient does it not prove to be a rational animal, that knows how to find or invent a plausible pretext for whatever it has an inclination to do!"

Foot Prints on the Grass.—Towards the end of fall may be observed marks of footprints, which appeared to have scorched the grass like heated iron; a phenomenon formerly regarded with superstitious dread, but can now be explained upon very simple chemical principles. When the grass becomes crisp by frost, it is exceedingly brittle, and the foot of a man or even a child is sufficiently heavy to break it down, and effectually kill it; therefore, when the sun has thawed the frosty rime from the fields, the foot tracks appear brown and bare in the midst of the surrounding green grass.

New Article of Food.—The Paris papers mention a vegetable production found on the high lands of the South of the French provinces in Africa, and in Algerian Sahara during the last campaign, which has been pointed out to the French government by General Jussuf. The new article is a lichen, which is nourished like the manna of the Hebrews.

It is estimated that there are in Boston, out of a population of 120,000, at least 9,000 children, between the ages of 4 and 16, who do not attend Sabbath Schools. In New York the number of children thus situated is about 30,000.—An effort is now being made by the Sunday School Association of New York to have every family in that city visited this month, with a view of gathering into the various Sabbath Schools many of the children who are now deprived of their advantages.

Harvests without Previous Sowing.

In the Schnellpost of yesterday we find an account of a method of compelling the wheat plant to become perennial, like grass, and to perfect its grains annually without annual sowing of seed, which has been successfully practiced at Constance, in Germany. It was discovered by a steward of an estate named Kern. His method, after ploughing and manuring the land, and sowing it with summer or winter wheat, is to mow it in the spring before the ear makes its appearance. This process is repeated several times in the season, and the product is used as hay. The plant is then allowed to grow and be cut in the usual manner. The next year it ripens earlier, and bears more abundantly than when treated in the ordinary manner. It is mowed in the autumn like grass in the meadows, and in the spring cleared from weeds. In this manner, from one field, four successive harvests have been gathered.—N. Y. Post.

Remedy for Cramp.—A writer in the Medical Times asserts that he has discovered in the following simple process an effectual remedy for this distressing and frequent complaint, to which he had himself been for many years a martyr.—His plan is to sleep upon an inclined plane, which is effected by taking care that the bed or mattress should incline at least twelve inches from the upper to the lower portions of the bed; and for this purpose either the lower feet may be cut down to the requisite inclination, or the inclined plane may be made by an arrangement of mattresses, or by removing the feathers from the lower end of the bed. The writer was led to adopt this plan by observing that while sleeping in a chair, with his lower limbs nearly touching the floor, he never, in that position, was disturbed by cramp.

Romance in Real Life.—The Cincinnati Chronicle furnishes us with the following nice bit of romance. About twelve years ago, a young gentleman, whose name we forbear to mention, residing in an interior county of Kentucky, became smitten—as falling in love is usually termed—with the daughter of a wealthy merchant. His love was requited by the fair and lovely girl, but the young man being poor, without influence, and having nothing to depend upon but his own industry and resolution, his suit was looked upon with a favorable eye by the wealthy father. In a moment of chagrin and disappointment, the proud youth left the home of his childhood—and twelve years rolled by; during which time no word was heard of him. He went to the West Indies a penniless adventurer, and one month since returned home, the possessor of an immense fortune. In the meantime the father of his beloved had failed, and died a poor broken-hearted man, leaving his wife and daughter dependent upon the cold charities of the world. Yet in poverty, as well as in wealth, the two lovers had remained faithful to their youthful vows, and two days after the return of the wanderer he led his long-cherished idol to the Hymeneal altar. How beautiful, in a cold, heartless world, like this, is the fidelity of two loving hearts!

Stone Rope.—A rope, nearly three miles long, now lies at Gateshead, England, which was the other day a stone in the bowels of the earth! Smelted, the stone yielded iron. The iron was converted into wire. The wire was brought to the wire-rope manufactory near Gateshead, and there twisted into a line 4,660 yards long! It is the stoutest rope of the kind ever made. It weighs 20 tons 5 cwt. and will cost \$5,500. It is intended for the incline on the Edinburgh and Glasgow Railroad, near the latter city. A rope of hemp, of equal strength, would weigh 23½ tons and cost \$1,400 more.

Writing for the Blind.—We notice that a new art of raised writing has been invented for the use of the blind. It is to write with a broad pen and thick ink, and when a line is finished to scatter over it a quantity of black sand. When a page is thus finished, it is placed between the leaves of a sheet of letter paper and submitted to the pressure of a copying press, after which it is carefully dried. This must be a more economical mode than the one now in vogue where the printing is executed with wooden types.

A Small Business.—A New York paper says that while Tom Thumb was exhibiting at Hartford, last week, he offered \$500 reward for a child as short as himself who could walk. Mrs. Foley, a woman of that city, thereupon presented her little daughter one year old, and one inch less than the General; yet she could walk alone. The reward was therefore fairly won; but the man of small dimensions crept out of a small hole, and said he offered the amount for a child of such description, and refused to pay it unless the mother would give him the infant. This of course she would not do.

Poker players in the steamboats on the rivers now, instead of saying "I pass," say "I Santa Anna."

AN EDITOR NOT A GENTLEMAN.

Macracon, of the Dayton Transcript, tells the following good one as part of his experience.—He says:

We have travelled 1500 miles within the last few days by land and by water. The tavern keepers, steam captains, &c., have uniformly refused to permit us to pay our way. In short, upon the extensive lake, in the packets, hotels, and floating palaces of Lake Erie, we have had a great "free blow," and have uniformly been regarded among the "dead heads." This you will regard as a very pleasant, and certainly very agreeable and advantageous way of travelling.—But there was one "free blow" we received, which came near knocking us into the middle of next week. The incident is so comical, that we will relate it, if the joke is at our expense.

While on board one of the splendid steamers which ply between Buffalo and Chicago, the fur on our chin grew rather longer than was agreeable, and we repaired to the barber shop on board to have it taken off. The fellow did it up in first rate style. After he had combed and oiled our head, brushed our clothes, and slicked us up fine, we felt gratified, pulled out a dime and proffered it to him as a reward for his services. He drew himself up with considerable pomposity.

"I understands," said he, "dat you is an Editor?"

Well! what of it? said we.

"We never charge editors nofin," said he.

But my woolly friend, said we, there are a good many editors travelling nowadays, and such liberality on your part will prove a ruinous business.

"Oh neber mind," said he, "we make it all up off de gemmen."

We ineffectually sloped.



THE SENTINEL

GETTYSBURG:

Monday, September 27, 1847.

WHIG COUNTY TICKET.

GOVERNOR.

Gen. James Irvin.

CANAL COMMISSIONER.

Joseph W. Patton.

SENATOR.

William R. Sadler.

ASSEMBLY.

William M. Sherry.

COMMISSIONER.

Jacob King.

AUDITOR.

Amos W. Maginly.

DIRECTOR OF THE POOR.

Thomas M. Cleary.

TREASURER.

Robert G. Harper.

The Election—The Grant Issue.

The great approach of Election day—the second Tuesday of October, says the Village Record, will remind the freemen of Pennsylvania, of the important duty they have to discharge at the ballot box. That duty consists in voting for such men as will carry out the great measures requisite to perpetuate the freedom and prosperity of the country.

What those measures are, we need hardly recapitulate here. The Whigs are justified on the most essential ones. But, if there be difference upon measures of their own, there is no difference among them in reference to the policy of the Locofoco party—the leaders of which have prostituted themselves to the support of the Administration of the State and General Government. The grand object of the Locofoco party is to sustain JAMES K. POLK. He is the embodiment of their principles, and by supporting him they have supported his measures, and made them their own measures.

The polemic question then comes home to every Whig and conscientious member of the body politic. Can you do right at the ensuing election to aid or support the Locofoco party—the party which supports James K. Polk and all his measures?

Be remembered that it is not simply by voting for the Locofoco ticket, that Mr. Polk is sustained. Every Whig who remains away from the polls, every one who is indifferent or lukewarm, is an efficient advocate of Mr. Polk. These are no times for neutrality—none but a rank and drilled partisan, can look upon the high-handed measures, the enormous abuses, the desolating war, of James K. Polk, and not feel his blood-boil with indignation. The rights of the country, the safe-guards of the Constitution, have been broken down and trampled under foot. A mere cold and formal support of the Whig ticket, at such a time as this, is cruel. Every Whig should feel aroused, eager and earnest—every patriotic bosom should burn for the exercise of the elective franchise, that the "may administer" an indignant rebuke to the oppressors of his country.

But if the Whigs have a duty to perform on Election day, we owe one not less important, which is to be discharged BEFORE THE ELECTION DAY HAS ARRIVED.

The State—the County—the Townships—are to be organized. Every man who is not awake to the magnitude of the crisis, should be waited upon, argued with, stimulated to his duty, and urged to be at the polls. Every man should go to work—for work is to be done. Organization is not to be over-valued; and it should be thorough and complete.

The friends of Reform in our State affairs, and of regeneration at Washington, are every where bucking on their armor—and we trust that no Whig will be found sleeping at his post.

All local, personal or private views should be cheerfully sacrificed at such a crisis. The whole party, and all who agree with them on great national principles, should be brought to unite upon the Whig ticket. The North American appropriately remarks, the general issue should swallow up all minor differences. Those who regard the policy of the present administration as dark and dangerous, who believe that it involves a war upon the peculiar interests of Pennsylvania, the prostration of domestic industry, and the sacrifice of the home market—the only market which now upholds the price of our produce—cannot hesitate, whatever their peculiar views, TO LOOK TO THE GREAT ISSUE.

Those who are opposed to a falling revenue, a national debt, excessive importation, and inevitable dependency upon Great Britain, must look to the great issue. Those who object to the wretched object of the present war, conquest, acquisition, and the extension of Slavery, must look to the great issue. And all who, blushing for the feebleness with which the war has been prosecuted by the administration, and indignant at the wrongs done to Scott and Taylor, would rebuke Mr. Polk and his advisers, cannot but look to the great issue. The contest is one in which the free States struggle for independence from Southern tyranny; grinding, degrading and ruinous; a tyranny to be established by the addition of Slave States from the Mexican conquests and adequate to secure a perpetual control of the United States Senate; and those who would avert this overwhelming calamity must, laying aside all minor points of difference, look to the great issue.

The cause of Gen. Irvin embodies these vital principles. His election will be their triumph—his defeat their prostration. No good can come to any party in opposition to the course of Mr. Polk, by voting any ticket but that which bears the name of Gen. Irvin; but on the contrary it must invoke disappointment, humiliation and self-reproach upon the course which secures, by dividing the majority, strength and triumph to the designs of the Southern conspirators.

This view applies to no one division of our people more than to another; we appeal to no faction, but to the people at large. This crisis is one that asks the potential intervention of all who love freedom and their country. Let them differ, if it must be, upon minor points; but not permit the lesser to swallow up the greater interest. In

view of all the vital questions now before the country, we trust that every American will be willing to concede, for a time, all that the crisis demands, and look to the great issue.

Melancholy Accident.

We were much pained to learn on Monday last, that Mr. Rogers, a very young and promising young man, of Littlestown, was drowned on the preceding afternoon, in attempting to cross the Big Conowing creek, between this place and Petersburg. It seems that the creek had been so much swollen by the heavy rain on Sunday, as to cause the water to inundate the road this side the bridge for some distance, and that while the deceased, in company with Mr. LATT PIERCE, was passing over this part of the road in a carriage, the vehicle was suddenly capsize by the force of the current, and, with the horse, borne into the stream. Mr. PIERCE made his escape by leaping from the carriage, and swimming to the shore. Mr. WILL, with the vehicle, was carried a few yards southward, where for a few moments he was seen endeavoring to save the horse by disengaging it from the carriage; but in this humane attempt lost his own life, as immediately after both were swept into the midst of the current, and lost sight of. The body of the deceased was recovered next day, between two and three miles down the stream, near Myers' Mill.

The deceased was a young man of irreproachable character, and highly esteemed by a large circle of acquaintances. He leaves a wife and two children to mourn his loss.—*Star*.

Hon. James Cooper.

We learn that it is the intention of our townsman, Mr. COOPER, to sail for Europe about the 25th of October. He will spend the winter in July, visit several other countries of the Old World in the Spring and Summer, and return about the last of June.

Daily Line of Stages.

Messrs. JOHN L. FATE & CO., have again commenced running a daily line of stages between Gettysburg and Baltimore. New and beautiful Froy Coaches have been placed on the road, and every attention paid to the comfort of passengers. We wish them that success which they deserve.

An address delivered at the opening of the new Diognath Hall, at Marshall College, July 2d, 1847, by E. V. GENWINE, of Gettysburg, has been politely furnished us. The subject is "The Proper Vocation of a Scholar." The address is a highly interesting one.

By request, the Rev. Mr. HOFFMEYER will preach (God willing) at Pine Church next Sabbath morning, at 10 o'clock, in the English language.

Rev. Robert J. Breckenridge.

This distinguished divine, so well known in this part of the country, has been appointed superintendent of public instruction of the State of Kentucky. So, we learn from the Frankfort Commonwealth, which says: "We understand, also, that Mr. Breckenridge will accept this appointment and bend all the powers of his great mind to the one sole object of elevating the cause of popular education in Kentucky."

The War—The Sorrow it Brings.

Lieut. Hoffman, of the Artillery, who was killed in the late battle in Mexico, was the youngest and favorite child of a widowed mother, now residing in Baltimore. She lost her husband, Col. Hoffman, of the 7th Infantry, less than two years ago, serving in Texas; in the winter of 1844, she lost a son, Lieut. Hoffman, of the 2d Infantry, in the Florida war; and in the late battle in which her youngest son was killed, the husband another son wounded; Capt. Hoffman, of the 6th Infantry. Her grief can better be imagined than described. And why is all this distress and sorrow brought home to so many families in the land? There must be a fearful answer for it, by those who have caused the war!

Brig Gen. HOFFMAN died at Mier, in Mexico, on the 1st inst. His brigade is broken up. Gen. Lane's brigade was to embark on the 8th inst. from Brazos for Vera Cruz, to join Gen. Scott, and Gen. Cushing was concentrating his brigade at Palo Alto, preparatory to its departure for the same place.

The New York Herald gives a list of twenty-four failures in the principal cities of Europe, the estimated liabilities of which amount to more than FIVE MILLIONS POUNDS, STERLING! It is supposed that the losses by these houses will fall heavily upon houses in this country.

Counterfeit \$5 notes on the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Bank of Pittsburgh, are in circulation. They are dated March 1st, 1847, Letter A, payable to S. Henore, and signed T. Scott, President, and W. H. Denny, Cashier.

The Yellow Fever is said to be on the decrease in New Orleans. A gentleman writes that he died at the great St Charles Hotel, in that City with but one other person at the table, so thinned off is the population by fear of the epidemic.

A young lady named Reynolds, aged 15 years, was drowned in the reservoir in Howard's Park, Baltimore, on Tuesday last. Her shoes and stockings were found on the bank, and it is supposed she was preparing to wash her feet, when she slipped down the slope into the water and was drowned. Her family, a most estimable one, are inconsolable for the loss.

Dreadful Mortality.—The St. Louis Reveille relates the truly frightful mortality which occurred on board the steamer Hard Times, which lately went down to New Orleans from that place. Thirty-three of those on board, including the captain, first clerk, and several other officers, had died of yellow fever.

Whig Meeting in Union County.

A very large and enthusiastic Whig meeting was held at New Berlin, in Union county, on the 14th inst. Gen. James Irvin, the Whig candidate for Governor, and Hon. James Cooper, were present by invitation, and addressed the meeting. A correspondent of the North American says that Gen. Irvin's speech was one of the neatest and best-timed speeches he had ever heard him make. The position of parties upon the question of Protection, with its influence upon the great interests of the country in general, and of Pennsylvania in particular, formed the theme of his discourse, and it was acknowledged by all Whigs and Democrats, to have been a most masterly effort. After the General took his seat, says the same writer, Hon. JAMES COOPER, of Adams county, was called for, and came forward, and enchaind the attention of the audience in a speech of great power and brilliancy. In alluding to the services of Henry Clay, he was peculiarly happy and eloquent, and many an eye was suffused with tears as he dwelt upon this interesting theme. And his whole speech was such, indeed, as it is our good fortune but seldom to hear so much genuine and exalted eloquence, connected with the strongest reasoning, and the most pungent wit, ever and anon flashing out, and yet so much good nature and sincerity, that it was impossible to listen and not be convinced.

From Europe.

The steamer Britannia arrived at Boston on Monday last, from Liverpool, which place she left on the 4th inst. She brought 110 passengers, among whom was Gen. Armstrong, U. S. Consul at Liverpool, and the Hon. Mr. Winthrop, of Boston.

Breadstuffs had still further declined, and there was a fearful pressure in the money market. Failures have already occurred in England to the amount of five millions pounds sterling; and every branch of industry was deeply affected. The crops promised an abundant yield—so that Americans will have no further foreign market for their produce, but will have to depend upon the sure one—a home market.

The steamer Great Britain, which had been grounded for a long time, was last got off on the 27th ult. and arrived at Liverpool on the 30th. She was considerably injured by bumping on the rocks.

The most interesting intelligence, however, is that relating to events in Italy—an account of which is given in a following column.

"The Business," by Ellen Pickering, has been placed on our table by Keller Kuriz, who has on hand a great variety of Books at his establishment opposite the Bank.

Gen. Persifer F. Smith, who so distinguished himself in the recent battles near Mexico, is a Philadelphian by birth—the eldest son of the late Jonathan Smith, of the Pennsylvania Insurance Company. He some years since removed to New Orleans.

May Gen. Butler, of Kentucky, has so far recovered from the wounds which he received at Monterey, that he proposes immediately to join the army of Mexico.

Mrs. HENRY CLAY was born near Hillsboro, North Carolina, and removed thence to Hagerstown, Md. where she resided till she grew to womanhood. From Hagerstown she went to Kentucky, and was there united to Mr. Clay.

Dr. Richard Wilmot Hall, Professor of Obstetrics and Medical Jurisprudence in the University of Maryland, died in Baltimore on the 14th inst. after a painful illness of several months. He had filled the professional chair with distinguished ability for nearly forty years, and was the last survivor of its original corps of professors.

Never too Late to do Good.

The Village Record says that a marriage recently occurred in Chester county, the groom of which was 77 years of age, and the bride 68!

Pennsylvania.—The present year will give a materially increased revenue to the State Treasury from the public works. During nine months of the present fiscal year, the receipts from canal and railroad tolls show an increase of \$364,171 compared with the corresponding period of 1846. The increase of the year, which ends on the 1st December next, will be not less than half a million of dollars over the revenue of 1846.

Recaptured.—Among the pieces of artillery captured at Churubusco, were the two pieces belonging to Lieut. O'Brien's company, which he was compelled to abandon at Buena Vista, and which fell into Mexican hands. They were recaptured by the very company to which they originally belonged, thus having proved that their loss on a former occasion was not for want of valor on their part, but one of those accidents the best troops sometimes are compelled to submit to. Nothing could exceed the enthusiasm of the men when they saw their well known pieces. They all but hugged and embraced them, and rent the air with wild huzzas, while drawing peals of eloquence from the objects of their devotion.

Julien Paydras, a wealthy planter of Louisiana, lately died, leaving an immense estate to be divided among his heirs. He leaves six large plantations, with a great many slaves on each, which are to be sold at public sale, the purchasers binding themselves to emancipate all the slaves, with their increase, at the end of 25 years from the day of sale. To the parishes of Pointe Coupee and West Baton Rouge, he leaves \$30,000 each—the interest of which is to be employed in giving a dowry to all girls of the said parish who may get married.

Still in Suspense.

This is the eleventh day, says the National Intelligencer of Saturday, since we had full confirmation of the success of the arms of the United States at the gates of the Mexican capital, of the appointment of Commissioners to negotiate with us for Peace, and of the actual meeting of those Commissioners with the Commissioner of the United States on two or three successive days; and to this hour no addition has been made to that information, nor has any communication whatever reached this city from Mexico of later date than the despatches, public and private, which brought that news.

That an intense anxiety is felt during this suspense by all who realize the importance of the uncertain issue, we need not assure our readers, the body of whom are capable of fully comprehending how great are the interests, temporary as well as (we may say) eternal, which are at stake in the depending negotiation. Should Peace be the result, Heaven will smile upon it, and all the earth rejoice. But, (which may Providence avert,) should the War be resumed, what man living can pretend to foresee when and where that War, as yet only between the United States and Mexico, but hereafter too probably to extend to other nations of this continent if not of Europe, is to end, or what may be its final influence on the happiness of this People, and the very structure of this Government?

Something New.

The Baltimore American of Saturday says, that shipments of Flour are now taking place from that city to Harrisburg, Northumberland, Wilkesbarre, Milton, and other points on the Susquehanna, for the purpose of supplying the local wants of those places; and that parcels of what have also been sent to York to be ground into flour for the local wants of that Borough. The reasons assigned are, that the old crop of wheat was entirely exhausted; that the recent crop is much short of the yield reported, and that the farmers who have wheat, are unwilling to sell at present prices.

The Elections for Congress.—Including Maine, the account stands as follows, of the number of members of Congress elected of the respective parties: Whigs elected 111; Democrats 100; Native 1. There are three States yet to vote, and the delegations stood in the last House of Representatives, as follows:

	Whigs.	Dem.
Maryland,	2	4
Mississippi,	0	4
Louisiana,	1	3
	3	11

There is a vacancy in Ohio and one in Michigan, which will be filled by Democrats.

The House numbers 228 members, and 115 is thus a majority. If the three States yet to elect shall vote as at the last election, there will be 114 Whigs, 113 Democrats, and 1 Native, who will have the casting vote between the parties; that is he can tie the Whigs, though he cannot give the preponderance to the Democrats.

The Force of Gen. Scott before the City of Mexico.—We have seen a statement of the forces, taken from the Mexican paper now published in the city of Puebla, and which is supposed to be substantially exact. It is thus:

Brought by Scott to Puebla	7,500
Volunteers arrived with Pillow	2,000
Do. do. Cadwalader	2,500
Do. do. Pierce	2,000
Total number arrived	14,000
Sick, deserters, &c.	1,500
Garrison left in Puebla	1,000
	2,500
Force which marched upon Mexico	11,500.

Unfortunate Occurrence.—Two children of a Mrs. Gaul, at Philadelphia, were made the victims of their mother's indiscretion on Saturday last, in her leaving a vial of laudanum exposed on the mantle piece. One of them died on Sunday evening from the effects of the drug which they drank, whilst the life of the other was barely saved by the application of the stomach pump.

Fatal Stage Accident.—We learn that the horses of one of the four stages which left Cumberland on Saturday morning for the West, became frightened by a locomotive on the Mount Savage railroad, shortly after leaving Cumberland, and ran off, dashing down a high precipice, breaking the stage and killing one of the passengers, and injuring another dreadfully. The person killed was Mr. George C. Vincent, of Erie, Pa.—*Balt. Patriot*.

Arkward Mistake.—A fine stone church was lately built in Missouri, (says the "Union") upon the facade of which a stone cutter was ordered to cut the following as an inscription: "My house shall be called the house of prayer." He was referred for accuracy to the verse of scripture in which these words occur; but unfortunately he transcribed, to the scandal of the society, the whole verse. "My house shall be called the house of prayer, but ye have made it a den of thieves."

Ohio has begun to pay off her public debt. The Auditor of that State has given notice, through the Columbus papers, to the holders of Ohio Canal Stock, receivable in payment for Canal Lands, and of Ohio Turnpike Stocks, that they will cease to draw interest after the 1st of November next, and that the Stocks, on presentation at the Treasury, will be paid in full.

ITALY.

A more important item of European intelligence has not been received for a long time past than the announcement that Austrian troops have seized upon Ferrara. This movement is believed to denote a determination on the part of the Austrian Government to put down by force, if possible, the liberal views and system introduced by the present Pope, within the limits of the Papal dominions. Pius IX, a remarkable character, has drawn to himself the ardent sympathy of all that portion of the civilized world in which Freedom, Progress and Improvement bear sway. Within the short period of his reign, thus far, he has become the most notable man of the times—having not only endeared himself, beyond example, to his own people, but having become, beyond any other individual in Europe, the Representative exponent and champion of liberal ideas in that quarter of the world.

In proportion, however, as the Pope became an object of interest and attachment to the friends of advancing civilization, he drew upon himself, more and more, the displeasure of the Austrian Government, which remonstrated and protested, from time to time, through its ambassador at Rome, against the measures successively introduced by the excellent Pius IX. From remonstrances and protests, the transit to force is, with despotic governments, easy and brief. Europe now beholds the sanctity of the Papal dominions violated by the tread of armed men, moving at the command of a despot, to put down and destroy the first symptom of liberty in its germ. Not content with enforcing within her own dominions the chilling sway which preserves tranquillity by inducing torpor, Austria becomes a propagandist, and goes forth to make proselytes to despotism at the point of the bayonet.

The intelligence of the seizure of Ferrara has produced a great sensation in France and England. It is reported that the British government has sent an order to the Italian king to fit out an expedition for Italy—that two regiments were to be immediately transported to Ancona, and that Lord Palmerston had given the Austrian government a notification of the fact.

The crisis of a conflict between legitimacy and freedom, if it should now come on, would be pregnant with great results to France, in which country the reigning dynasty is not believed to represent the opinions and sentiments of the nation. The French papers speak of this with evident chagrin, when they refer to the affair in Italy. A letter, in the Paris Press, from Rome, indicates hope, firmness and confidence. It says of Pius IX: "He has the courage of a noble race. Become now the head of the church, and the representative of true liberty in Italy, and perhaps in Europe, he can, if he pleases, make every absolute sovereign tremble on his throne."

The preceding remarks were written before the Hibernia had arrived. By this steamer the following information is received: Italy still remains in a state of ferment. The town of Ferrara has been invested by the Austrian troops, and a declaration of war seems to be unavoidable, on the part of the Pope. The King of Sardinia has declared his intention to aid the Pontifical power, and England warmly sympathizes with his holiness. Such a war must annihilate the Austrian dynasty in Italy.

Singular Accident.—The New London News states that on Saturday last, during the funeral ceremonies over the body of a Mrs. Kelly, in the north part of that city, and while the friends and neighbors were assembled in the room to view the corpse, the floor gave way and precipitated them all, with the coffin and its contents, into the cellar beneath. What is more singular still, no one was seriously hurt. The house where the accident occurred was quite an old one.

Two thousand five hundred passengers passed over the Albany and Schenectady (Mohawk) Railroad on the 15th inst. This road is increasing very largely in its business. From the 1st to the 19th inst. the excess of its receipts over the same period of last year, was one thousand nine hundred dollars.

Growth of the West.—The Iowa Sentinel says that a colony of Hollanders, amounting to about 1,000, have purchased two entire townships in Marion county. They bring their own mechanics and artisans with them, and have selected the site for a town. About 3,000 more are expected to join them by next spring. These are the right kind of emigrants for Iowa.

A story has been going the rounds of the papers that a physician in Manchester (N. H.) had opened the stomach of a patient, and removed several hard substances which had completely obstructed the passage from it. The patient was represented as doing well, and likely to recover. The medical journals were much interested in the case, and many learned comments made upon it, but it now appears from the Manchester American that the patient was a hen! A scurvy jest, truly!

We learn from the recent Report of the Croton Aqueduct Board that nearly seven and a half miles of water pipes were laid down in the streets of New York during the fifteen months ending on the 31st of August last. There are now in use in that city one hundred and seventy-one miles of pipe. The whole number of water permits issued by the Board up to May last, was 15,961.

FROM GEN. TAYLOR'S ARMY.

Washington Union, of Wednesday night, says: "Letters have been received from the camp of Gen. Taylor, who was then near Monterey. The General had made the necessary arrangements for carrying out his late general order for sending all the troops he could spare to Vera Cruz, to join the column of Gen. Scott. In addition to the troops which he kept upon his line of defence, he had detained the light battery of Capt. Deas, to strengthen his line. A mixed force of dragoons and Texans was employed in clearing the country between Camargo and Monterey of the moving guerrillas."

"Reports are renewed of the General's intention to visit the United States; but he does not yet mention such an intention in his recent despatches."

"No despatches have been received from Gen. Scott's camp."

HENRY CLAY—SILAS WRIGHT.

The National Intelligencer says:—"A gentleman who has just arrived in this city from the White Sulphur Springs, Virginia, informs us that himself and a number of other gentlemen were in Mr. CLAY's room a few minutes after he had heard of the death of the lamented Governor Wright. Mr. Clay was deeply affected, and paid a touchingly beautiful impromptu tribute to the memory of the honored dead by alluding to his generous nature, uncompromising integrity, accomplished powers in debate, and his eminent public services. Though politically opposed, these distinguished statesmen, in their frequent and unrivalled discussions of great national questions in the Senate of the United States, ever remained towards each other the highest respect and the warmest feelings of attachment. Honorable alike to the living and the dead is the incident here related, and we have pleasure in giving it to our readers."

THE BRITISH TARIFF HUMBUG.

The recent news from Europe has knocked out the last prop of the British Tariff humbug. The price of breadstuffs which rose to a great height on account of the famine, and the early closing of the navigation of the Black Sea, is now lower in England than it has been for many years, and nothing but ruin has marked those who engaged in speculation. By the latest advices, flour was selling in England at 21 shillings sterling, per barrel, which is rather under the price it brings here; and the probability was that it would go down still lower. This must convince the Farmers, and all who feel an interest in good prices for produce, that they have nothing to expect from the repeal of the Tariff of 1842, and the enactment of the British Tariff of 1840.

Besides this, the pernicious consequences of this Locofoco measure, can now be seen, and will soon be felt all around us. Our factories are stopping, and the stores of our merchants are filled with common muslins of British manufacture, the whole trade and consumption of which had, under the Tariff of 1842, been supplied by American factories. Our own workmen are thus thrown out of employment; our own enterprising manufacturers prostrated and made bankrupts, for the benefit of BRITISH MONOPOLY. The Locofoco advocates of this state of things glory in the downfall and distress of their countrymen, and boast of the additional millions imported, the product of foreign countries! the consequences of which will be a total drainage of the precious metals, a prostration of our banks, and a general stagnation and depression, which will throw the earnings of the enterprising man into the hands of the rich and grasping.

Is there any American feeling in such politicians? Are they fit to control our policy or rule our destinies. If such policy is to govern us, what shall we become but a colony of Great Britain? And yet President Polk, Gov. Shunk, and all the office-holding and office-seeking Locofocos are its open and zealous advocates. What American can support them?—*Telegraph*.

Terrible Firemen's Fight.—The occurrence of two or three slight fires in Philadelphia, on Tuesday evening, was made the occasion of a most fearful and disgraceful riot between the Northern Liberty and Lafayette Hose Companies, which resulted in several persons being seriously injured. A young man named King was shot through the knee. John Abell was shot in a vital part, and the ball lodged in the lower part of his abdomen. Another named Winn, was severely wounded in the leg. Two gentlemen, one named Lewis Wolf, the other Grausback, who were looking on, were knocked down and much hurt. Also, an elderly lady of the Society of Friends. Only two arrests were made.

The Mormons.—A passenger from the Upper Missouri informs us that the Mormons are in a flourishing condition, in their new location on the fine lands of the Pottawamie purchase, on both sides of the river, above Council Bluffs. They have planted immense fields of corn—to the extent, it is estimated, of 30,000 acres—and other grain and produce. They have built, also, a town, called "Winter Quarters," which already contains a population of some seven thousand souls. This town is entirely picketed in. It is represented that the Mormons are on friendly terms with the Indians, who rarely molest them though they are accused of occasionally stealing cattle.—*St. Louis Repub.*

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There is no system like the CASH SYSTEM. Adopt it, and you always know how your affairs stand. You can buy when you pay the Cash, and have the choice of the market. It is the most independent way to move through the world, and if every one were to adopt it, and follow it out, they will be richer at the end of the year. To all, then, who are willing to improve their affairs, I say—BUY FOR CASH; and my word for it, you will find CHEAP GOODS at the CASH STORE.

TO SMOKERS.
I have just received a small lot of very superior SEGARS, for only one cent. Try them
F. H. DOCWRA,
N. E. Corner of the Diamond.
Gettysburg, Aug. 30.

VERY IMPORTANT NEWS FROM MEXICO,

It is daily expected, and as soon as received will be made known through the medium of the press. In the meantime the public curiosity in this neighborhood can be occupied in examining the extraordinary supply of
READY-MADE CLOTHING,
for fall and winter use, just received, and for sale, at astonishingly cheap rates, at

SAMSON'S
Clothing and Variety Store,
in Gettysburg, immediately opposite the Bank. The stock has been purchased with a view to the season, and embraces every variety of Gentlemen's Apparel, such as superfine Cashmere, and Cloth Dress COATS and CLOAKS; fine superfine Tweed Coats; Cassinet do.; plain and fancy Cassimere, Cloth, Tweed, and Cassinet PANTS; Silk, Satin, Cassimere, Cassinet, Plain and Fancy VESTS; Shirts, Bosoms, Collars, Cravats, Handkerchiefs, Suspenders, Gloves, Stockings, together with every thing belonging to a gentleman's furnishing line. Also a large variety of

FANCY ARTICLES,
Jewelry, Spectacles, Perfumery, Pen knives, Combs, Shaving Apparatus, Purses, Dish cloths, Umbrellas, Violin and Guitar Strings, Needles, Pins, &c. &c. Also a few CLOCKS, which will be sold low, as I wish to clear off the lot. Also, some cheap home made Carpets.
Coach-makers will find among my stock a lot of Coach Laces, Canvases, Curtain Frames and Knobs. Fly-nets, a small lot of Iron, several Buggies, several sets of New Harness—all of which will be sold very cheap.

My goods having been purchased under favorable circumstances, and having determined to adopt the cash and one-price system in my dealings hereafter, I am enabled to offer them at lower prices than they have ever hitherto been purchased in this place. All I ask is an examination of my goods, which I shall be pleased to show to purchasers at all times.
MARCUS SAMSON.
Sept. 13.

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A nimble Sixpence better than the slow Shilling.
600 Sketches and Skeletons of Sermons.
Lamartine's History of the Girondists.
Fresh Gleamings.
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Froussart's Chronicles.
Brant's May's Mexico Illustrated.
Bancroft's History of the United States.
Trumbull's Indian Wars.
Mrs. Pierson's Poems.
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Sept. 13.

Hats, Caps, Ladies' Muffs, Boas, &c.

TO MERCHANTS, HATTERS & OTHERS
GARDEN & BROWN,
Hat and Cap Warehouse and Manufactory,
NO. 196 MARKET STREET,
SECOND DOOR BELOW SIXTH, PHILADELPHIA.

RESPECTFULLY solicit attention to their large and complete stock of Hats and Caps, manufactured under their own immediate direction and superintendence, with all the advantages of modern improvements, to enable them to combine the important qualities of durability, taste and beauty of finish, with extreme cheapness of price.

An immense and beautiful assortment of all varieties and prices of Beaver, Brush, Silk, Mole, skin, Russia, Cassimere, Wool, Sporting and Ashland HATS. Also, a general assortment of every variety of CAPS, OTT, Fur Seal, Hair Seal, Muskrat, Plain and Fancy Cloth every style, Red, Black and Brown Mohair, Sealette, Glazed, Oiled Silk and Fur Caps.
Ladies' Muffs, Boas, &c., at the very lowest prices.

Buyers by the dozen or less are invited to call and see if it is not to their interest to deal with us. Particular attention paid to the packing of Hats, &c.
Cash paid for Muskrat and Shipping Furs.
GARDEN & BROWN,
No. 196 Market Street, below Sixth Street.
Philadelphia, July 19.

NOTICE.

A NUMBER of notes and accounts, on various persons, due to ROBERT W. M'SHERRY, have been put into the hands of the subscriber, to be collected and applied towards the payment of a judgment against the said M'SHERRY. All persons, therefore, knowing themselves indebted to him by note, book account, or otherwise, will please to call upon the subscriber and satisfy the same without delay. Long indulgence cannot be given, as the subscriber has been directed to proceed to collect the debts and pay the judgment in his hands. Such of the notes and accounts of Mr. M'Sherry as are not in his hands, are in the hands of Messrs. STEVENSON and McLEAN.
JAMES COOPER.
Aug. 30.

Jewelry, Watch Guards,
WATCH Chains, Keys, Spectacles, &c. &c. can always be had at the Clock & Watch Establishment of
ALEX. FRAZER.
July 19.

DENTISTRY. DR. J. LAWRENCE HILL, Dental Surgeon,

HAS located permanently in Gettysburg, and as it is his intention to devote himself entirely to the practice of DENTISTRY in all its branches, no effort will be spared to render satisfaction in every case. If any have had operations performed, which have not proved satisfactory, they are respectfully asked to call and have them renewed without charge.
Ladies and others visited at their residences, if desired.
Office at Mr. M'Cosh's Hotel.
May 11.

DAVID HEAGY, Cabinet-Maker,

RETURNS his grateful acknowledgments for the very liberal patronage which has been extended to him, and takes this method of informing his friends and customers, and the public generally, that he still continues the CABINET MAKING in Chambersburg street, at his old stand, where those wishing first-rate Furniture can be supplied on the shortest notice.

CHAIRS! CHAIRS!

He has also, in connection with the Cabinet-making, commenced the CHAIR-MAKING, and is prepared to furnish those wishing Chairs at as reasonable rate as at any other establishment in the place, and of as good quality, made of the best materials and by one who understands his business.

ALL kinds of produce, and lumber, will be taken in exchange for Furniture, and the highest market price given.

COFFINS will be made at the shortest notice, and all orders promptly attended to, as usual.

DAVID HEAGY.
Gettysburg, March 22.

DOCTORS BERLUGHY & BELL

BE leave to inform those residents of Adams County, who may be afflicted with NERVOUS or OTHER CHRONIC DISEASES, that they have purchased

Codd's Patent Graduated Galvanic Battery & Insulated Poles,
for Medical purposes alone. This instrument is the only one now known, that can be applied with safety to the most tender organs, as the eye and ear. They have in their possession the highest testimony of its efficacy, not only from Professors of Universities and Colleges, but from many who have obtained cures and relief from maladies considered incurable by other remedies. This instrument may be found useful in Chronic Rheumatism, Tic Dolorous, Spasms, Paralysis, or Palsy, General Weakness and other diseases incident to Females. The fluid is conveyed through the system, not by shocks as heretofore, but by a continued and gentle stream, which is rather agreeable than otherwise.

They are ready to operate on those who may apply, at the Office of Dr. BELL, and those who cannot be removed, will be waited on at their residence.
Gettysburg, Feb. 23.

NEW CLOCK AND WATCH ESTABLISHMENT.

ALEX. FRAZER

RESPECTFULLY informs his friends and the public generally, that he has removed his Clock and Watch Establishment from Fanevontown, Md., to Gettysburg, at the stand lately occupied by JOSEPH MARTIN, deceased, where he will be pleased to wait upon all who may favor him with their custom. He will keep on hand a general assortment of

CLOCKS, WATCHES, AND JEWELRY,
which will be sold on the most reasonable terms. Clocks, Watches, &c., will be repaired at the most reasonable prices, and warranted to give entire satisfaction. Having been engaged in the business for a number of years, he hopes, by industry, and particular attention to his customers, to merit a share of public patronage.
Gettysburg, Oct. 12.

COACH MAKING.
THE subscriber, thankful for past favors, respectfully informs the public that he continues the COACH-MAKING BUSINESS, in all its various branches, at his Old Stand in York street, (formerly Buckingham's) where he has on hand, and will manufacture to order

CARRIAGES, Buggies, Jersey Wagons, &c.
all of the best materials, and by the best of workmen. Call and judge for yourselves.
LEONARD STOUGH.
Gettysburg, April 20.

Watches, Jewelry, &c.

THE subscriber offers to the trade, or by retail, a large and general assortment of the following articles, being all of his own importation or manufacture.
Buyers of goods in this line are invited to examine the assortment, and orders are solicited, with the assurance that every effort will be made to give satisfaction and insure a continuance of custom.
Gold & Silver Lever Watches of ordinary quality.
Do. do. do. of superfine finish.
Do. do. do. do. Anchors & Lepines.
Silver double cased English and Swiss verge Watches, with light, medium, and heavy cases.
Gold Jewelry in all varieties, fine and common.
Silver Plated, and Silver Wares.
Musical Boxes, playing 2, 4, 6, 8, and 10 tunes.
Gold and Silver Spectacles.
Diamond Pointed Gold Pens.
Manile and Office Clocks, in gilt and other frames.
Watchmakers' Tools and Material of all sorts.
Fancy Articles, Fancy Fans, Steel Beads, &c.
Having every facility for obtaining goods on the most advantageous terms, corresponding inducements will be offered to purchasers.
JOHN C. FARR,
112 Chestnut St., Philadelphia.
July 19.

D. McCONAUGHY, ATTORNEY AT LAW.

OFFICE in the Southwest Corner of the Public Square, one door west of George Arnold's Store, formerly occupied as a Law Office by John McConaughy, Esq. deceased. He solicits, and by prompt and faithful attention to business in his profession, it will be his endeavor to merit confidence and patronage.
D. McConaughy will also attend promptly on all business entrusted to him as

AGENT AND SOLICITOR

For Patents and Pensions.
He has made arrangements through which he can furnish very desirable facilities to applicants, and entirely relieve them from the necessity of a journey to Washington, on application to him personally or by letter.
Gettysburg, April 5.

W. M. McLELLAN, ATTORNEY AT LAW.

OFFICE South East Corner of the Franklin House, formerly occupied as Sheriff's Office, by Geo. W. M. Clellan, Esq.
Dec. 23.

THOMAS McCREARY, ATTORNEY AT LAW.

OFFICE in the South East Corner of the Diamond, between the Hotel of A. B. Kurtz and R. W. McSherry's Store.
Gettysburg, Dec. 15.

LAW NOTICE.

J. REED, of Carlisle,
PRESENTS his respects to his friends and informs them that he has made arrangements to continue to practice as usual in the Court of Adams county, under the new regulation of the times for holding them.
Feb. 2.

PROTECTION AGAINST LOSS BY FIRE.

THE Cumberland Valley Mutual Protection Company, being incorporated by an Act of the Legislature, and fully organized and in operation under the direction of the following Board of Managers, viz: Thos. C. Miller, Jas. Weakly, David W. McCullough, A. G. Miller, Thos. A. McKinley, Philip Spangler, Samuel Galbraith, Sam'l Trutt, Abraham King, Adams, John Zug, Samuel Huston, J. T. Green, J. Bear, call the attention of the inhabitants of Cumberland and Adams Counties to the cheapness of the rates, and the many advantages which this kind of insurance has over any other.

1st. Every person insured becomes a member of the company and takes part in the choice of officers and the direction of its concerns.

2d. For insurance no more is demanded than is necessary to meet the expenses of the Company, and indemnity against losses which may happen.

3d. The inconvenience of frequent renewals is avoided by insuring for a term of five years.

4th. Any person applying for insurance must give his premium note for the cheapest class at the rate of five per centum, which will be \$50 for the 1000, for which he will have to pay \$2.50 for five years, and \$1.50 for survey and policy, and no more unless loss be sustained to a greater amount than the funds on hand will cover, and then no more will be required than a pro rata share. These rates are much cheaper than those of other companies, except such as are incorporated on the same principles.

THOS. C. MILLER, Pres't.

A. G. MILLER, Sec'y.

Feb. 5.

The following named gentlemen have been appointed AGENTS for Adams county

Wm. W. Paxton, Esq.,

General Agent for Adams County.

James A. Thompson, Gettysburg.

David Ziegler, do.

Dr. Wm. R. Stewart, Petersburg.

Henry Myers, Esq., New Chester.

Henry Mayer, Esq., Abbottstown.

Daniel Comfort, Strasburg townsh.

Abraham King, Esq., Hunterstown.

David Blythe, Esq., Millerstown.

Thos. T. Wiernan, do.

Wm. Morrison, Esq., Bendersville.

Abel T. Wright, do.

Dr. D. Mellinger, East Berlin.

Abraham Scott, Cuth Town.

NEW WINE & LIQUOR STORE.

M. & A. HAY,

WOULD respectfully make known to the public that they have opened a WINE AND LIQUOR STORE in the house formerly kept as Hay's Tavern, Sign of the Indian King, on the south side of Main street, a few doors west of the Market House, and adjoining the residence of Charles A. Barnitz, Esq. in the Borough of York, where they will constantly have on hand for sale a choice and well selected assortment of

Wines, Brandy, Gins,

RUMS, WHISKEYS,

CORDIALS AND BITTERS

of all qualities and prices.

W. M. & A. HAY respectfully invite those who may need articles in their line to give them a call, as they are confident that they can please them both as regards quality and price, great care having been taken in the selection of their stock.
York, Feb. 23.

THE Subscriber, of the late firm of Buck & Moore, takes this method of informing his friends and the public in general, that he has bought out the interest of S. L. Buck, at the old established CLOTHING STAND, No. 253 Market Street, Philadelphia, and is now prepared to furnish all kinds of Ready-made CLOTHING, at prices which cannot but secure to him the patronage of all who wish to purchase Cheap Clothing. I have splendid French Cloth Dress and Frock Coats, from \$5.00 to \$18; do. Pants, from 75 cents to \$6; Vests, from 62 1/2 cents to \$4; suit of Summer Clothing for \$2.25. Also, all kinds of Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods at extremely low prices.

Wholesale dealers in Clothing would do well to call at the store of

JOSEPH J. MOORE,

254 Market Street, Philadelphia.

May 24.

The attention of Tavern Keepers

is called to OLD RYE, BRANDY, and

WINE—which will be sold at a very reduced price, by the barrel or gallon. They will be sold low because I wish to close the lot—Call and examine them.

E. H. DOCWRA.

Gettysburg, Aug. 2.

Blacksmithing,

IN all its branches, will be attended to by

good workmen, at the Foundry of the subscriber.

THOMAS WARREN.

Gettysburg, Dec. 22.

Freights from Philadelphia.

REGULAR LINE OF CARS.

THE subscriber runs a Regular Line of Burthen Cars between PHILADELPHIA AND YORK, for the Transportation of all kinds of Freight to and from York and the adjoining Counties.

Prices of Freight on Merchandise generally, 30 cents per hundred.

Groceries or Hardware, when 6000 lbs. or more, 25 cents per hundred.

Coffee, if 6000 lbs. or more, 20 cents per hundred.

Salt per sack, 30 cents per hundred.

All kinds of Freight to Philadelphia solicited and carried at low rates.

Warehouse in Philadelphia, at No. 365 Market street—A. L. GERHART, Agent.

Warehouse in York at Railroad Depot, adjoining P. A. & S. Small.

YORK, April 20.

TO THE AFFLICTED!

Compound Medicated Candy

FOR the Cure of Colds, Coughs, Spitting of Blood, Broucheitis, Asthma, Whooping Cough, Pains and Oppressions of the breast, and all other Pulmonary complaints, and other diseases which have a tendency to produce Consumption. It serves also as an effectual clearer of the voice.

This Candy is entirely a vegetable preparation, the principal ingredients being Horehound, Wild Cherry, Sarsaparilla, Boneset, Elecampane, Liquorice, Flaxseed, Iceland Moss, Prickly Ash, &c. and will, if taken in time, relieve the system from those distressing afflictions that tend to Consumption.

One great advantage in this valuable medicine is its cheapness, the public not being imposed upon by the enormously high prices which are generally exacted for Patent and other medical preparations. Each Package contains directions. Call and try it!

Prepared and sold at the Confection and Variety Store of the subscriber in West York street, one square from the Court house, and next door to Thompson's Hotel. It can also be had at S. Fennock's Drug Store.

The subscriber as usual continues his Bakery, and is prepared to supply parties at the shortest notice, with choice Cakes, &c.

C. WEAVER.

Gettysburg, Nov. 9.

HOVER'S

First Premium Writing Ink.

This Ink has for a long while become established as a National article, and the following testimonials from Washington City, prove its merits to that distinction:

House of Representatives,

Washington City, Feb. 24, 1843.

I state that I have used the Ink, during the present session of Congress, manufactured by Joseph E. Hover, Esq. of Philadelphia, and I have found it to be an article of most excellent quality.

JOHN WHITE, Speaker Ho. Rep.

Patent Office, Washington, D. C.,

February 24, 1843.

Sir—Your Black Writing Ink has been used in this Office since October last, and is entirely approved.

I am, respectfully,

J. W. HAND, Chief Clerk.

Mr. Joseph E. Hover, Philad.

Hover's Adamantine Cement.

The following from Bicknell's Reporter will best illustrate its value: "Mr. Hover manufactures 'Adamantine Cement' for joining broken china, glass, &c.; we have tried the article and found it to be excellent."

For sale, wholesale and retail, at the manufactory, No. 57 North Third Street, opposite Cherry Street, Philadelphia, by

JOSEPH E. HOVER, Manufacturer.

Aug. 9.

M. A. ROOT'S

GALLERY OF

Portraits and Family Groups.

No. 140 Chestnut Street,

THIRD DOOR BELOW FIFTH STREET.

PHILADELPHIA.

ADMISSION FREE.

THE pictures taken at this establishment

are pronounced, by artists and scientific men, unrivalled for depth of tone and softness of light and shade, while they display all the artistic arrangement of the highest effort of the painter.

Citizens or strangers visiting the Gallery, can have their Miniatures or Portraits taken in this unique style, and neatly set in Morocco Cases, Gold Lockets, or Breastpins, &c. in a few minutes.

We copy the following from the Philadelphia Saturday Courier.

AMERICAN SUPERIORITY.

The public journals have at different periods announced, as a remarkable proof of the skill and proficiency of American Artists, that Daguerreotypes are now made in this city superior in every respect to those made in any of the European cities. This success of American artists was confirmed, in a very gratifying and conclusive manner, by Mr. Barnum's public stating, at the close of his 10th Thumb exhibition in this city, that Mr. Root had made fifty-one good pictures, with only a single failure.

In addition to which, Mr. Root has been furnished with the following conclusive certificate, signed, it will be perceived, by the parents of Tom Thumb, all of whom were with him in Europe—

PHILADELPHIA, June 4, 1847.

The Daguerreotypes of Tom Thumb and his family, including his several teachers, footman, driver, equipage, &c., and his various costumes and characters, made by Mr. M. A. Root, (FIFTH ONE in all,) present a degree of accuracy and truthfulness to Nature, with a bold charm of outline, softness, expression, beauty and delicacy of finish, and uniform brilliancy, that we have never seen equalled. They are decidedly superior to any thing of the kind witnessed by us either in this country or in London, Paris, or any of the cities of Europe which we have visited. We take pleasure in bearing testimony to the courtesy and skill so uniformly manifested by Mr. Root, the eminently successful Daguerreotypist. (Signed.)

S. F. STRATTON, (the Father.)

CYNTHIA STRATTON, (the Mother.)

P. T. BARNUM,

(Exhibitor of Tom Thumb in England and America, and Proprietor of the New York and Baltimore Museums.)

W. W. WEBSTER, (Secretary.)

THODORE B. CATLIN,

(Advertiser and Secretary for Tom Thumb in Europe.)

H. G. SHERMAN, (his Preceptor.)

This is certainly very striking testimony in favor of American superiority, coming as it does from those who have examined specimens of the best productions of the art in most of the principal cities of Europe.

Aug. 2.

LAW PARTNERSHIP.

THE undersigned having formed a Partnership for the practice of the Law, will attend the Courts of York and Adams, and will visit the neighboring Counties, if desired.

Office in Gettysburg, between the Bank and Public Offices, where one of the firm may at all times be found, and where communications will receive prompt attention.

JAMES COOPER,

R. G. M'CREARY.

June 21.

Watches, of all kinds, will be cleaned

and repaired at the shortest notice, at FRAZER'S Clock & Watch Establishment, in Gettysburg.

July 19.

New Iron and Steel Store.

THE subscribers, Importers and Dealers in Foreign and American Iron, beg leave to call the attention of purchasers of IRON and STEEL, to the new assortment of Swede, Norwegian, Refined, Cable and Common English Iron, which they now have and are constantly receiving from Europe direct. Also, American Iron, consisting of Hoop, Band, Scroll, &c. English, Russia and American Sheet Iron; Small Round and Square Iron, from 3 1/2 inches and upwards; Taper and Flat Iron, Horse Shoe and Nail Rods, Axle Iron, various sizes; Locomotive, Tire and Railroad Iron; Angle Iron, Half-Round Iron, &c. Spring and Blistered Steel from best stamps of Swede Iron; Cast and Sheet Steel, &c. all of which they offer at the lowest rates, for cash, or at six months for approved reference, and to which they invite the attention of purchasers before replenishing their stocks.

Also, FIG and BLOOM IRON received on commission, on which advances will be made.

EARPS & BRINK,

Iron and Steel Merchants,

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COL. PIERCE M. BUTLER.

The death of this gallant South Carolinian, the representative on the bloody field of Churubusco, of as noble a race of heroes as any country has produced, will create a profound and extended sorrow in this country. He has been for a long time a conspicuous and prominent citizen of South Carolina, and was noted for his great resolution and indomitable courage. He possessed military qualities of the highest order, and gave promise of great success and distinction in a career which, alas! terminated at its very commencement. Col. Butler had been very ill for several days previous to the battle, but when he heard that the Palmetto flag was going into the fight, unaccompanied by him to whose special charge it had been committed, he broke loose from his physicians, abandoned his sick couch, and, weak, ghastly, and almost fainting, mounted his charger, and placed himself at the head of his regiment. With such an example, men far less ardent and gallant than the South Carolinians would have been prompted to deeds of superhuman daring. But there was no such incitement necessary to impel the sons of the "Harry Hotspur of the Union," as Prentiss once styled the gallant Palmetto State, to the most brilliant and conspicuous display of their military qualities. Their services are fully noted in another part of our paper. Col. Butler, though twice badly wounded, and weighed down by faintness and loss of blood, maintained his position until a third wound caused his death.

Lieut. Col. Dickinson, who was the first officer wounded at Vera Cruz, also signaled his valor on this occasion, and was again badly wounded.—N. O. Del.

Of all the incidents which go to illustrate the horrors of war, we have seen none which presents them to the mind in a more striking and powerful manner than the present condition of the South Carolina regiment of volunteers. They left their homes six months ago about 800 strong: of this number 140 died at Vera Cruz or on the march to Puebla, and 360 were left sick in the different hospitals. About 272 were in a condition to fight in the late battle, and of that number 137 (including their gallant Colonel, Pierce M. Butler) were killed or wounded, leaving a meagre remnant of 135, a moiety of whom may yet perhaps fall in battle or perish by disease before the war shall terminate! What a contrast will the return home of this shattered corps present to the "pride, pomp, and circumstance" which attended their enlistment and departure for the seat of war.—Richmond Whig.

GENERAL TAYLOR.—The New Orleans Picayune, alluding to the position of Gen. Taylor, says:

"Upon conversing with gentlemen who left his camp about the middle of August, they inform us that it was his intention to return home in the month of November next. Upon his withdrawal, the chief command of the column will devolve upon Brigadier General Wool, an officer who, in the last campaign, has justified the elevated position he held in the regards of his countrymen, and added yet further to his reputation as a gallant soldier. In the hour of conflict, blood and peril, calm as a summer morning," and ever prepared to meet the enemy, Gen. Wool is just the man to occupy the advanced position he now holds. For vigilance he cannot be surpassed, and he commands in an eminent degree the respect of the Mexicans."

The Presidency.—Several letters appear in the last number of the Native Eagle, of Philadelphia, from gentlemen whose names have been mentioned as candidates for the Presidency. The letters are in answer to others from the Native American party, asking whether they would accept the Native nomination. Gen. Taylor replies, as usual, that he will be the candidate of no party. Henry Clay declines the nomination, waiving the expression of any opinion upon the principles of the Native party. Com. Stewart also declines, as unwilling to encounter the high responsibilities of such an office. Ogden Edwards also declines, though he expresses his approbation of Native principles.

Each private in Col. Doniphan's regiment received about \$350, besides land scrip. Colonel Doniphan received \$2,500.—N. O. Mercury.

There were upwards of 1,000 men in the above regiment, and according to the preceding it required about \$400,000 to pay them off. The above, however, did not include the cost of their horses, all of which were lost, nor ten months' forage rations, which were not furnished by the United States, and for which the regiment claimed to be paid, but the paymaster here did not settle for either of these items. The Major of the Regiment informed us that the average amount due the men, including their horses and forage, was about \$650 each, besides the land scrip.—N. O. Bulletin.

Fatal Modesty.—A sad event occurred lately at a French house near Gaurin. A fire having broken out in the night, the family hastened to make their escape. Two daughters of the farmer and a servant girl, finding a crowd assembled at the door, were ashamed of appearing in their night dresses, and returned for their clothing. In the attempt two of them were burned to death.

Lowell, Mass., with its three miles of girls, is, as it should be, a fine place for matrimonial speculations. During the last year, nearly six hundred couples have been married in that city of spindles and spinsters.

The Bridge which is being erected on the site of the old Harrisburg Bridge, from the Eastern shore to the island, which was destroyed by the flood in March, 1846, is nearly ready for crossing, every span of it is up, and the planking nearly completed. Foot passengers pass now.

An Eventful Voyage.—Two hundred and thirty emigrants arrived at Philadelphia on Saturday, in the packet ship Swatara, from Liverpool, having, in consequence of bad weather and accidents, been six months on the voyage. During the time a number of deaths occurred, and about twenty births. The passengers are all well.

V. B. PALMER, Esq., N. W. corner of Third and Chestnut streets, Philadelphia, and 160 Nassau street, (Tribune Buildings) New York, and S. W. corner of Fayette and North streets, Baltimore, is our authorized Agent for receiving advertisements and subscriptions to the "ADAMS SENTINEL," and collecting and receipting for the same.

Baltimore Price Current.		
Flour,	5 44 to 5 50	
Wheat,	1 00 to 1 15	
Rye,	75 to 78	
Corn,	58 to 60	
Oats,	30 to 32	
Beef Cattle,	4 00 to 5 40	

MARRIED.
On Wednesday last, by the Rev. Mr. Tanyhill, Mr. GEORGE SPOVER, to Miss ELIZA ANN LANG—both of this place.

On Thursday last, by the same, Mr. WILLIAM ELSON, to Miss LAVINIA TAYLOR—both of this place.

On Thursday last, by the Rev. J. C. Watson, D. D., Mr. WILLIAM CAREY, of Cumberland township, to Miss LEXIA ANN KELSON, of Franklin township.

On the 14th inst., by the Rev. J. H. Marsden, Mr. FREDERICK HERR, Jr., to Miss HANNA HARTZELL—both of this county.

On Thursday last, by the Rev. John Heck, Mr. JOHN BAKER, to Miss ELIZABETH FLOHR—both of this county.

On Tuesday the 21st inst., by the Rev. E. V. Gerhart, Mr. JOHN DUTTENO, to Miss ANNY MARIA FROCK—both of Carroll county, Md.

On the 19th inst., by the Rev. P. Scheurer, Mr. TODIAS K. NOLL, to Miss SUSANNA R. REINHART—both of this county.

DIED.
On the 13th inst., Mr. JOSEPH BURKIE, of M'Sherystown, aged 86 years and 1 day.
On the 18th inst., near Abbottstown, Mr. HENRY DOLL, aged 25 years 2 months and 17 days.
On the 18th inst. in Littlestown, MARY CAROLINE, daughter of Mr. Andrew M'Sherry, aged 1 year 8 months and 13 days.

At Union Mills, Carroll county, Md., on the 20th inst., ANDREW SURVEY, Esq., in his 58th year.

NOTICE
To Bridge-Builders.
THE Commissioners of Adams county will receive sealed proposals at their office in Gettysburg, until Tuesday the 24th day of October next, for

A BRIDGE
across Little Conowago Creek, on the road leading from Adams' Mill towards Hanover, near Conowago Chapel.
Plans and specifications can be seen at the Commissioners' Office.

J. CUNNINGHAM,
JOSEPH FINK, } Comm'rs.
A. HEINTZELMAN,
Attest—J. AUGUSTINBAUGH, Clerk.
Sept. 27.

SAVE COSTS!
THE subscriber is in want of money, and requests those persons who know themselves to be indebted to him to settle up immediately. He hopes that those interested will attend to the matter promptly, and thereby save themselves from costs. I can be found at all times either at my residence or my Foundry.
THOMAS WARREN.
Sept. 27.

A CARD.
THE Winter Session of the New Oxford COLLEGIATE AND MEDICAL INSTITUTE, for 1847 to 1848, will open in its various branches on Monday the 18th day of October next, and continue till the 1st of April following.

Prices for tuition as heretofore, viz: \$15 in the Collegiate and \$20 in the Medical Department; payment in advance. (No extra charges whatever.)

For pupils from a distance, the Principal will, if desired, procure board, washing and mending in respectable houses for \$15 per annum, payment quarterly in advance.

Parents and Guardians, who wish their sons or wards to receive a thorough education, without endangering their physical and moral health, are invited to come and examine the Institute personally, since the evidence of our own senses is more to be relied upon than any other.

M. D. G. PFEIFFER, M. D., Principal.
New Oxford Institute.
Sept. 27, 1847.

TANYARD FOR SALE.
I WILL OFFER AT PUBLIC SALE,
On Saturday the 23d of October next,
MY PROPERTY,
situate in Arendtsville, Adams county, Pa.—There are Eight Acres of Land. There is a DWELLING-HOUSE, and SMALL BARN.

A TWO STORY TAN SHOP,
Bark-shed, Bark-mill, horse-power Leather-Roller,
24 large Lay-away Vats,
with the Leeches, Limes, Handlers, &c., with a heater and pipes to convey the liquor through the yard, with a never-failing stream of running water.

This property is well worth the attention of persons who wish to go into the business, situated as it is at the foot of the South Mountain, in one of the best regions of country for BARK in the County.

N. B. Persons wishing to view the property, can do so by calling on the subscriber residing thereon.
G. W. WRIGHT.
Sept. 27.

York Republican insert, mark cost, and charge this office.

VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE.
THE subscriber will offer at Public Sale, upon the premises,
On Saturday the 23d of October next,
at one o'clock, P. M.,
THE FARM,
on which he now resides, situate in Conowago Valley, Tyrone township, Adams county, adjoining lands of Jacob Ferree, John Lehman, Jacob Arnsperger, Amos C. Myers and others, on a public road leading to Gettysburg, and about 4 miles from York Springs, containing about
218 ACRES.

The improvements are a two-story weather-boarded
DWELLING-HOUSE,
a large Stone Bank Barn, and Wagon shed, with all other necessary Out-houses. There is also a Tenant-house, Stable, &c. on the premises. There are four never-failing springs; about 20 Acres of Meadow, with a large proportion of Woodland. There is an ORCHARD of grafted fruit. The whole is in a good state of cultivation.

Attendance will be given, and terms made known by
PETER FERRER.
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SALE OF CHESTNUT TIMBER LAND.
IN pursuance of an Order of the Orphans' Court of Adams county, will be offered at Public Vendue,
On Saturday the 16th of October next,
on the premises,
5 LOTS OF CHESTNUT TIMBER LAND,
late the Estate of SAMUEL BRADY, deceased. The lots are situated in Menallen township, Adams county, adjoining lands of Conrad Thomas, Levi Irvin, and John Brady, containing TWENTY-EIGHT ACRES in all. Each lot, as surveyed fronts on the Public Road leading from Newman's to Fehl's Saw-Mill. The Lots, averaging upward of FIVE ACRES each, are covered with thriving
YOUNG CHESTNUT TIMBER,
and the land is well adapted to cultivation when cleared. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, A. M. Attendance given, and terms made known by
SAMUEL BRADY, Adm'r.
By the Court—WM. S. HAMILTON, Clerk.
Sept. 27.

PUBLIC SALE.
IN pursuance of an Order of the Orphans' Court of Adams county, will be offered at Public Vendue,
On Saturday the 30th of October next,
at 1 o'clock, P. M., on the premises,
A TRACT OF LAND,
containing 75 ACRES,
late the Estate of JOSEPH STUCKSLAGER, deceased, situated in Freedom township, Adams county, adjoining lands of Jacob Myers, Joshua Brown, and others, on which are erected a TWO STORY
LOG HOUSE,
LOG BARN, and a good Spring near the building. Also—An excellent
ORCHARD OF CHOICE FRUIT.
There is a large proportion of Timber and excellent Meadow. Any person can view the premises by calling upon the Widow, living on the premises. Attendance given and terms made known by
JOHN STOCKSLAGER, Adm'r.
By the Court—WM. S. HAMILTON, Clerk.
Sept. 27.

A FARM TO RENT.
THE subscriber wishes to rent his FARM out to a good Tenant. The Farm lies 12 miles from the City of Baltimore, in the neighborhood of Owings' Mills, Reisterstown road, and about one mile West of the Turnpike. The Farm contains 466 ACRES, 310 of which are arable land; a large quantity of that is Meadow land, from which an abundance of Hay is annually cut. There has been a considerable quantity of Lime put on the land, and a part of the Farm is in excellent order, and will produce any crop that may be put in it; other parts are thin soil. The improvements are good, and water in every field. There are a large quantity of Fruit Trees, particularly Apple Trees, and an outlet for range for Cattle of 4,000 acres. There is no healthier place in the Nation. There are Stores, Mills, and different places of Public Worship close by, and the Railroad comes within a mile and a quarter of the place. There is an abundance of provender on the place for sale. Persons wishing to rent will please direct to me as follows, post paid: L. RICKETTS, Owings' Mills, Baltimore county, Md., and state what force and means they have to carry on the place, and where I may direct to them. If they choose to come and see it, forthwith, which I would rather they would, they will inquire at the Calico House, 14 miles from the City, and turn off there.
L. RICKETTS.
Sept. 27.

NEW ARRANGEMENT.
A DAILY LINE
BETWEEN
Gettysburg and Baltimore.
THE subscribers have the pleasure of announcing that they have completed their arrangements for running a
NEW DAILY LINE,
between Gettysburg and Baltimore, via Littlestown, Westminster and Reisterstown. An entirely new line of superior and elegantly built
Troy Coaches,
have been put on the route, which, together with trusty and accommodating drivers, they feel assured must give entire satisfaction to the Travelling Public.
The line will run through daily, (Sundays excepted,) leaving regularly at 7 o'clock, A. M.
JOHN L. TATE & CO.
Sept. 20.

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Only \$1 50 for the best Colored Daguerreotype Likenesses!
J. M. Elroy & Thomson
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Aug. 23.

FOR SALE.
A VALUABLE FARM,
Containing between 2 & 300 Acres,
Called "Wilson's Garden."
I DEEM it unnecessary to describe the property in full, as no person will purchase without seeing it. Call, and you will see a SPLENDID FARM.
If not sold before December, I will Rent.
WM. WILSON.
Hamilton township, Adams county, Pa., Aug. 9.

Washington Guards!
YOU will parade on Saturday the 9th of October next, at the Store of P. Mickle, in Muncasterburg, at 10 o'clock, A. M. precisely, in summer uniform—arms and accoutrements in complete order.
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ADAM J. WALTER, O. S.
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more or less, on which are erected a two story weather-boarded
DWELLING HOUSE,
formerly occupied as a TAVERN STAND, a Bank Barn, and an ORCHARD of choice fruit. There are two
Tenant Houses
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VERY IMPORTANT NEWS

FROM MEXICO.
I have just received and as soon as received I will be known through the medium of the press. In the meantime the public curiosity in this matter can be kept up by examining the extraordinary supply of **READY-MADE CLOTHING** for fall and winter use, just received, and for sale, at astonishingly cheap rates, at

SAMSON'S

Clothing and Variety Store.
In Gettysburg, immediately opposite the Bank. The stock has been purchased with a view to the sale of every variety of Gentlemen's Apparel, such as superfine Cashmere and Cloth COATS and GLOVES, fine superfine Tweed Coats, Cane and Umbrella, Cashmere, Cloth, Tweed, and Cassimere, Pants, Suits, Cassimere, Cashmere, and Cloth Vests, Shirts, Bosoms, Collars, Cravats, Handkerchiefs, Neckties, Gloves, Stockings, and every thing belonging to a gentleman's wardrobe. Also a large variety of

FANCY ARTICLES.

Legals, Spectacles, Perfumery, Pen-knives, Combs, Shaving Apparatus, Purse, Dish, shades, Umbrella, Violin and Guitar Strings, Needles, Pins, &c. Also, a few CLOCKS, which will be sold low, as I wish to clear off the lot. Also some cheap home-made Carpets. A Cash-maker will find among my stock a lot of Cash Letters, Conveyers, Current Frames and Knobs, Fly-nets, a small lot of Iron, several Buggies, and sets of New Harness—all of which will be sold very cheap.

My goods having been purchased under favorable circumstances, and having determined to adopt the cash-and-one-price system in my dealings hereafter, I am enabled to offer them at lower prices than they have ever hitherto been purchased in this place. All a customer's examination of my goods, which I shall be pleased to show to purchasers at all times.

MARCUS SAMSON.
Sept. 13.

FALL MILLINERY GOODS.

JOHN STONE & SONS,
Importers and Dealers in

SILKS, RIBBONS & MILLINERY GOODS,
No. 43 South Second Street,
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ARE now opening for the Fall Trade a very rich assortment of

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a large proportion of which are of their own importation. Bonnet Silks, figured and plain. Bonnet Satins of all colors and qualities. Fancy Bonnet and Cap Ribbons, a very handsome assortment. Silk Plushes. Silk Velvets black and colored, of all qualities. French and American Artificial Flowers. Fancy Laces, Cap Stuffs, and Lace Trimmings. Bonnet Crochets, Trimmings, Willows, &c. They have also received by the late arrivals a very beautiful assortment of Fancy Feather direct from the manufacturers in Paris.

Philadelphia, Sept. 13.

Hats, Caps, Ladies' Muffs, Boas, &c.

TO MERCHANTS, HATTERS, & OTHERS.

GARDEN & BROWN.

Hat and Cap Warehouse and Manufactory,
NO. 106 MARKET STREET,
SECOND FLOOR, BELOW SIXTH, PHILADELPHIA.

RESPECTFULLY solicit attention to their large and complete stock of Hats and Caps, manufactured under their own immediate direction and superintendence, with all the advantages of modern improvements, to enable them to combine the important qualities of durability, fastness and beauty of finish, with extreme cheapness of price.

An immense and beautiful assortment of all varieties and prices of Beaver, Brush, Silk, Mole-skin, Russia, Cassimere, Wool, Sporting and Ashland HATS. Also, a general assortment of every variety of CAPS, Otter, Fur Seal, Hair Seal, Muskrat, Plain and Fancy Cloth every style; Red, Black and Brown Mohair, Sealette, Glazed, Oiled Silk and Fur Caps.

Ladies' Muffs, Boas, &c. at the very lowest prices.

Buyers by the dozen or less are invited to call and see if it is not to their interest to deal with us. Particular attention paid to the packing of Hats, &c.

Cash paid for Muskrat and Shipping Furs.

GARDEN & BROWN,
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PRINTING CARDS, Visiting Cards, Gilt Edge, Bordered, and Engraved—for sale at Keller Kurtz's Bookstore.

JOHN C. TARR,
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DR. J. LAWRENCE HILL,
Dental Surgeon.

HAS located permanently in Gettysburg, and is now attending to the practice of DENTISTRY in all its branches, no effort will be spared to render satisfaction in every case. If any have had operations performed, which have not proved satisfactory, they are respectfully asked to call and have them renewed without charge.

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FOR the Cure of Colds, Coughs, Spitting of Blood, Bronchitis, Asthma, Whooping Cough, Pains and Oppressions of the breast, and all other Pulmonary complaints, and other diseases which have a tendency to produce Consumption. It serves also as an effectual clearer of the voice.

This Candy is entirely a vegetable preparation, the principal ingredients being Horehound, Wild Cherry, Sarsaparilla, Boneset, Elecampane, Licorice, Flaxseed, Iceland Moss, Prickly Ash, &c. and will, if taken in time, relieve the system from those distressing affections that tend to Consumption.

One great advantage in this valuable medicine is its cheapness, the public not being imposed upon by the enormously high prices which are generally exacted for Patent and other medicated preparations. Each Package contains directions. Call and try it!

Prepared and sold at the Confection and Variety Store of the subscriber in West York street, one square from the Court-house, and next door to Thompson's Hotel. It can also be had at S. Foxr's Drug Store.

The subscriber as usual continues his Bakery, and is prepared to supply parties at the shortest notice, with choice Cakes, &c.

C. WEAVER.

Gettysburg, Nov. 9.

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THIS Ink has for a long while become established as a National article, and the following testimonials from Washington City, prove its merits to that distinction:

House of Representatives,
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I state that I have used the Ink, during the present session of Congress, manufactured by Joseph E. Hover, Esq., of Philadelphia, and have found it to be an article of most excellent quality.

JOHN WHITE, Speaker Ho. Rep.

Patent Office, Washington, D. C.

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Sir—Your Black Writing Ink has been used in this Office since October last, and is entirely approved.

J. M. HANCOCK, Chief Clerk.

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Hover's Adamantine Cement.

The following from Bicknell's Reporter will best illustrate its value: "Mr. Hover manufactures Adamantine Cement for joining broken china, glass, &c.; we have tried the article and found it to be excellent."

For sale, wholesale and retail, at the manufactory, No. 57 North Third Street, opposite Cherry Street, Philadelphia, by

JOSEPH E. HOVER



THE SENTINEL.

GETTYSBURG:

Monday, September 27, 1847.

WHIG COUNTY TICKET.

GOVERNOR,

Gen. James Irvin.

CANAL COMMISSIONER,

Joseph W. Patton.

SENATOR,

William R. Sadler.

ASSEMBLY,

William M. Sherry.

COMMISSIONER,

Jacob King.

AUDITOR,

Amos W. Maginly.

DIRECTOR OF THE POOR,

Thomas McCleary.

TREASURER,

Robert G. Harper.

The Election—The Great Issue.

The near approach of Election day—the second Tuesday of October, says the *Village Record*, will remind the freemen of Pennsylvania, of the important duty they have to discharge at the ballot box. That duty consists in voting for such men as will carry out the great measures requisite to perpetuate the freedom and prosperity of the Country.

What those measures are, we need hardly recapitulate here. The Whigs are united upon the most essential ones. But, if there be difference upon measures of their own, there is no difference among them in reference to the policy of the Locofoco party—the leaders of which have prostituted themselves to the support of the Administration of the State and General Government. The grand object of the Locofoco party is to sustain JAMES K. POLK. He is the embodiment of their principles, and by supporting him they have supported his measures, and made them their own measures.

The solemn question then comes home to every Whig and conscientious member of the body politic, "Can you do ought at the ensuing election to aid or support the Locofoco party—the party which supports James K. Polk and all his measures?"

Be it remembered that it is not simply by voting for the Locofoco ticket, that Mr. Polk is sustained. Every Whig who remains away from the polls—every one who is indifferent or lukewarm, is an efficient advocate of Mr. Polk. These are no times for neutrality—none but a rank and drilled partisan, can look upon the high-handed measures, the enormous abuses, the desolating war, of James K. Polk, and not feel his blood boil with indignation. The rights of the country, the safe-guards of the Constitution, have been broken down and trampled under foot. A more cold and formal support of the Whig Ticket, at such a time as this, is cruel. Every Whig should feel aroused, eager and earnest—every patriotic bosom should burn for the exercise of the elective franchise, that he may administer an indignant rebuke to the oppressors of his Country.

But if the Whigs have a duty to perform on Election day they owe one not less important, which is to be discharged BEFORE THE ELECTION DAY HAS ARRIVED.

The State—the County—the Townships—are to be organized. Every man who is not awake to the magnitude of the crisis, should be waited upon, argued with, stimulated to his duty, and urged to be at the polls. Every man should go to work—for work is to be done. Organization is not to be over-valued; and it should be thorough and complete.

The friends of Reform in our State affairs, and of a regeneration at Washington, are every where buckling on their armor—and we trust that no Whig will be found sleeping at his post.

All local, personal or private views should be cheerfully sacrificed at such a crisis. The whole party, and all who agree with them on great national principles, should be brought to unite upon the Whig ticket. The North American appropriately remarks, the general issue should swallow up all minor differences. Those who regard the policy of the present administration as dark and dangerous, who believes that it involves a war upon the peculiar interests of Pennsylvania, the prostration of domestic industry, and the sacrifice of the home market—the only market which now upholds the price of our produce—cannot hesitate, whatever their peculiar views, TO LOOK TO THE GREAT ISSUE.

Those who are opposed to a falling revenue, a national debt, excessive importation, and inevitable dependency upon Great Britain, must look to the great issue. Those who object to the avowed object of the present war, conquest, acquisition, and the extension of Slavery, must look to the great issue. And all who, blushing for the feebleness with which the war has been prosecuted by the administration, and indignant at the wrongs done to Scott and Taylor, would rebuke Mr. Polk and his advisers, cannot but look to the great issue. The contest is one in which the free States struggle for independence from Southern tyranny, grinding, degrading and ruinous: a tyranny to be established by the addition of Slave States from the Mexican conquests and adequate to secure a perpetual control of the United States Senate; and those who would avert this overwhelming calamity must, laying aside all minor points of difference, look to the great issue.

The cause of Gen. Irvin embodies these vital principles. His election will be their triumph—his defeat their prostration. No good can come to any party in opposition to the course of Mr. Polk, by voting any ticket but that which bears the name of Gen. Irvin; but on the contrary, it must invoke disappointment, humiliation and self-reproach upon the course which secures, by dividing the majority, strength and triumph to the designs of the Southern conspirators.

This view applies to no one division of our people more than to another: we appeal to no faction, but to the people at large. This crisis is one that asks the potential intervention of all who love freedom and their country. Let them differ, if it must be upon minor points; but not permit the lesser to swallow up the greater interest. In

view of all the vital questions now before the country, we trust that every American will be willing to concede, for a time, all that the crisis demands, and look to the great issue.

Melancholy Accident.

We were much pained to learn on Monday last, that Mr. RUFUS WILL, only son of Hon. GEORGE WILL, of Littlestown, was drowned on the preceding afternoon, in attempting to cross the Big Conowingo creek, between this place and Petersburg. It seems that the creek had been so much swollen by the heavy rain on Sunday, as to cause the water to inundate the road this side the bridge for some distance, and that while the deceased, in company with Mr. LEVI PICKING, was passing over this part of the road in a carriage, the vehicle was suddenly capsize by the force of the current, and, with the horse, borne into the stream. Mr. PICKING made his escape by leaping from the carriage, and swimming to the shore. Mr. WILL, with the vehicle, was carried a few yards southward, where for a few moments he was seen endeavoring to save the horse by disengaging it from the carriage; but in this humane attempt lost his own life, as immediately after both were swept into the midst of the current, and lost sight of. The body of the deceased was recovered next day, between two and three miles down the stream, near Myers' Mill.

The deceased was a young man of irreproachable character, and highly esteemed by a large circle of acquaintances. He leaves a wife and two children to mourn his loss.—*Star*.

Hon. James Cooper.

We learn that it is the intention of our townsman, Mr. COOPER, to sail for Europe about the 25th of October. He will spend the winter in Italy, visit several other countries of the Old World in the Spring and Summer, and return about the last of June.

Daily Line of Stages.

Messrs. John L. TATE & Co., have again commenced running a daily line of Stages between Gettysburg and Baltimore. New and beautiful Troy Coaches have been placed on the road, and every attention paid to the comfort of passengers. We wish them that success which they deserve.

An address, delivered at the opening of the new Diognathian Hall, at Marshall College, July 2d, 1847, by E. V. GERRARD, of Gettysburg, has been politely furnished us. The subject is "The Proper Vocation of a Scholar." The address is a highly interesting one.

By request, the Rev. Mr. HOFFMEIER will preach (God willing) at *Pine Church* next Sabbath morning, at 10 o'clock, in the English language.

Rev. Robert J. Breckenridge.

This distinguished divine, so well known in this part of the country, has been appointed superintendent of public instruction of the State of Kentucky. So we learn from the *Frankfort Commonwealth*, which says: "We understand, also, that Mr. Breckenridge will accept this appointment and bend all the powers of his great mind to the one sole object of elevating the cause of popular education in Kentucky."

The War—The Sorrow it Brings.

Lieut. Hoffman, of the Artillery, who was killed in the late battle in Mexico, was the youngest and favorite child of a widowed mother, now residing in Baltimore. She lost her husband, Col. Hoffman, of the 7th Infantry, less than two years ago, serving in Texas: in the winter of 1841, she lost a son, Lieut. Hoffman, of the 2d Infantry, in the Florida war; and in the late battle in which her youngest son was killed, she had another son wounded, Capt. Hoffman, of the 6th Infantry. Her grief can better be imagined than described. And why is all this distress and sorrow brought home to so many families in the land? There must be a fearful answering for it, by those who have caused the war!

Brig. Gen. HORTON died at Mier, in Mexico, on the 1st inst. His brigade is broken up. Gen. Lane's brigade was to embark on the 8th inst. from Brazos for Vera Cruz, to join Gen. Scott, and Gen. Cushing was concentrating his brigade at Palo Alto, preparatory to its departure for the same place.

The New York Herald gives a list of twenty-four failures in the principal cities of Europe, the estimated liabilities of which amount to more than FIVE MILLIONS POUNDS STERLING! It is supposed that the losses by these houses will fall heavily upon houses in this country.

Counterfeit \$5 notes on the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Bank of Pittsburg, are in circulation. They are dated March 1st, 1845, Letter A., payable in S. Henore, and signed T. Scott, President, and W. H. Denny, Cashier.

The Yellow Fever is said to be on the decrease in New Orleans. A gentleman writes that he dined at the great St. Charles Hotel, in that City with but one other person at the table, so thinned off is the population by fear of the epidemic.

A young lady named Reynolds, aged 15 years, was drowned in the reservoir in Howard's Park, Baltimore, on Tuesday last. Her shoes and stockings were found on the bank, and it is supposed she was preparing to wash her feet, when she slipped down the slope into the water and was drowned. Her family, a most estimable one, are inconsolable for the loss.

Dreadful Mortality.—The St. Louis *Reveille* relates the truly frightful mortality which occurred on board the steamer *Hard Times*, which lately went down to New Orleans from that place. Thirty-three of those on board, including the captain, first clerk, and several other officers, had died of yellow fever.

Whig Meeting in Union County.

A very large and enthusiastic Whig meeting was held at New Berlin, in Union County, on the 14th inst. Gen. James Irvin, the Whig candidate for Governor, and Hon. James Cooper, were present by invitation, and addressed the meeting. A correspondent of the North American says that Gen. Irvin's speech was one of the neatest and best-timed speeches he had ever heard him make. The position of parties upon the question of Protection, with its influence upon the great interests of the country in general, and of Pennsylvania in particular, formed the theme of his discourse, and it was acknowledged by all Whigs and Democrats, to have been a most masterly effort. After the General took his seat, says the same writer, Hon. JAMES COOPER, of Adams county, was called for, and came forward, and enchaind the attention of the audience in a speech of great power and brilliancy. In alluding to the services of Henry Clay, he was peculiarly happy and eloquent, and many an eye was suffused with tears as he dwelt upon this interesting theme. And his whole speech was such, indeed, as it is our good fortune but seldom to hear. So much genuine and exalted eloquence, connected with the strongest reasoning, and the most pungent wit, ever and anon flashing out, and yet so much good nature and sincerity, that it was impossible to listen and not be convinced.

From Europe.

The steamer *Britannia* arrived at Boston on Monday last, from Liverpool, which place she left on the 4th inst. She brought 110 passengers, among whom was Gen. Armstrong, U. S. Consul at Liverpool, and the Hon. Mr. Winthrop, of Boston.

Breadstuffs had still further declined, and there was a fearful pressure in the money market. Failures have already occurred in England to the amount of five millions pounds sterling; and every branch of industry was deeply affected. The crops promised an abundant yield—so that Americans will have no further foreign market for their produce, but will have to depend upon the surer one—a home market.

The steamer *Great Britain*, which had been grounded for a long time, was at last got off on the 27th ult. and arrived at Liverpool on the 30th. She was considerably injured by thumping on the rocks.

The most interesting intelligence, however, is that relating to events in Italy—an account of which is given in a following column.

"The Hibernian," by Ellen Pickering, has been placed on our table by Keller Kurtz, who has on hand a great variety of Books at his establishment opposite the Bank.

Gen. Persifer F. Smith, who so distinguished himself in the recent battles near Mexico, is a Philadelphian by birth—the eldest son of the late Jonathan Smith, of the Pennsylvania Insurance Company. He some years since removed to New Orleans.

Major Gen. Butler, of Kentucky, has so far recovered from the wounds which he received at Monterey, that he proposes immediately to join the army of Mexico.

Mrs. HENRY CLAY was born near Hillsboro', North Carolina, and removed thence to Hagerstown, Md. where she resided till she grew to womanhood. From Hagerstown she went to Kentucky, and was there united to Mr. Clay.

Dr. Richard Wilmet Hall, Professor of Obstetrics and Medical Jurisprudence in the University of Maryland, died in Baltimore on the 14th inst. after a painful illness of several months. He had filled the professional chair with distinguished ability for nearly forty years, and was the last survivor of its original corps of professors.

Never too Late to do Good.

The *Village Record* says that a marriage recently occurred in Chester county, the groom of which was 77 years of age, and the bride 68!

Pennsylvania.—The present year will give a materially increased revenue to the State Treasury from the public works. During nine months of the present fiscal year, the receipts from canal and railroad tolls show an increase of \$364,171, compared with the corresponding period of 1846. The increase of the year, which ends on the 1st December next, will be not less than half a million of dollars over the revenue of 1846.

Recaptured.—Among the pieces of artillery captured at Churubusco, were the two pieces belonging to Lieut. O'Brien's company, which he was compelled to abandon at Buena Vista, and which fell into Mexican hands. They were recaptured by the very company to which they originally belonged, thus having proved that their loss on a former occasion was not for want of valor on their part, but one of those accidents the best troops sometimes are compelled to submit to. Nothing could exceed the enthusiasm of the men when they saw their well known pieces. They all but hugged and embraced them, and rent the air with wild huzzas, while drawing peals of eloquence from the objects of their devotion.

Julien Poydras, a wealthy planter of Louisiana, lately died, leaving an immense estate to be divided among his heirs. He leaves six large plantations, with a great many slaves on each, which are to be sold at public sale, the purchasers binding themselves to emancipate all the slaves, with their increase, at the end of 25 years from the day of sale.—To the parishes of Pointe Coupee and West Baton Rouge, he leaves \$30,000 each—the interest of which is to be employed in giving a dowry to all girls of the said parish who may get married.

Still in Suspense.

This is the eleventh day, says the *National Intelligencer* of Saturday, since we had full confirmation of the success of the arms of the United States at the gates of the Mexican capital, of the appointment of Commissioners to negotiate with us for Peace, and of the actual meetings of those Commissioners with the Commissioner of the United States on two or three successive days; and to this hour no addition has been made to that information, nor has any communication whatever reached this city from Mexico of later date than the despatches, public and private, which brought that news.

That an intense anxiety is felt during this suspense, by all who realize the importance of the uncertain issue, we need not assure our readers, the body of whom are capable of fully comprehending how great are the interests, temporary as well as (we may say) eternal, which are at stake in the depending negotiation. Should PEACE be the result, Heaven will smile upon it, and all the earth rejoice. But, (which may Providence avert,) should the WAR be resumed, what man living can pretend to foresee when and where that War, as yet only between the United States and Mexico, but hereafter too probably to extend to other nations of this continent if not of Europe, is to end, or what may be its final influence on the happiness of this People, and the very structure of this Government?

Something New.

The Baltimore American of Saturday says, that shipments of Flour are now taking place from that city to Harrisburg, Northumberland, Wilkesbarre, Milton, and other points on the Susquehanna, for the purpose of supplying the local wants of those places; and that parcels of wheat have also been sent to York to be ground into flour for the local wants of that Borough. The reasons assigned are, that the old crop of wheat was entirely exhausted; that the recent crop is much short of the yield reported, and that the farmers who have wheat, are unwilling to sell at present prices.

The Elections for Congress.—Including Maine, the account stands as follows, of the number of members of Congress elected of the respective parties.—Whigs elected 111; Democrats 100; Native 1. There are three States yet to vote, and the delegations stood in the last House of Representatives, as follows:

	Whigs.	Dem.
Maryland,	2	4
Mississippi,	0	4
Louisiana,	1	3
	3	11

There is a vacancy in Ohio and one in Michigan, which will be filled by Democrats.

The House numbers 228 members, and 115 is thus a majority. If the three States yet to elect shall vote as at the last election, there will be 114 Whigs, 113 Democrats, and 1 Native, who will have the casting vote between the parties; that is he can tie the Whigs, though he cannot give the preponderance to the Democrats.

The Force of Gen. Scott before the City of Mexico.—We have seen a statement of the forces, taken from the Mexican paper now published in the city of Puebla, and which is supposed to be substantially exact. It is thus:

Brought by Scott to Puebla	7,500
Volunteers arrived with Pillow	2,000
Do. do. Cadwalader	2,500
Do. do. Pierce	2,000

Total number arrived	14,000
Sick, deserters, &c.	1,500
Garrison left in Puebla	1,000
	2,500

Force which marched upon Mexico 11,500

Unfortunate Occurrence.—Two children of a Mrs. Gaul, at Philadelphia, were made the victims of their mother's indiscretion on Saturday last, in her leaving a vial of laudanum exposed on the mantle piece. One of them died on Sunday evening from the effects of the drug which they drank, whilst the life of the other was barely saved by the application of the stomach pump.

Fatal Stage Accident.—We learn that the horses of one of the four stages which left Cumberland on Saturday morning for the West, became frightened by a locomotive on the Mount Savage railroad, shortly after leaving Cumberland, and ran off, dashing down a high precipice, breaking the stage and killing one of the passengers, and injuring another dreadfully. The person killed was Mr. George C. Vincent, of Erie, Pa.—*Balt. Patriot*.

Awkward Mistake.—A fine stone church was lately built in Missouri, (says the "Union.") upon the facade of which a stone cutter was ordered to cut the following as an inscription: "My house shall be called the house of prayer." He was referred for accuracy to the verse of scripture in which these words occur; but unfortunately he transcribed, to the scandal of the society, the whole verse: "My house shall be called the house of prayer, but ye have made it a den of thieves."

Ohio has begun to pay off her public debt. The Auditor of that State has given notice, through the Columbus papers, to the holders of Ohio Canal Stock receivable in payment for Canal Lands and of Ohio Turnpike Stocks, that they will cease to draw interest after the 1st of November next, and that the Stocks, on presentation at the Treasury, will be paid in full.

ITALY.

A more important item of European intelligence has not been received for a long time past than the announcement that Austrian troops have seized upon Ferrara. This movement is believed to denote a determination on the part of the Austrian Government to put down by force, if possible, the liberal views and system introduced by the present Pope, within the limits of the Papal dominions. Pius IX, a remarkable character, has drawn to himself the ardent sympathy of all that portion of the civilized world in which Freedom, Progress and Improvement bear sway. Within the short period of his reign, thus far, he has become the most notable man of the times—having not only endeared himself, beyond example, to his own people, but having become, beyond any other individual in Europe, the Representative exponent and champion of liberal ideas in that quarter of the world.

In proportion, however, as the Pope became an object of interest and attachment to the friends of advancing civilization, he drew upon himself, more and more, the displeasure of the Austrian Government, which remonstrated and protested, from time to time, through its ambassador at Rome, against the measures successively introduced by the excellent Pius IX. From remonstrances and protests, the transit to force is, with despotic governments, easy and brief. Europe now beholds the sanctity of the Papal dominions violated by the tread of armed men, moving at the command of a despot, to put down and destroy the first symptom of liberty in its germ. Not content with enforcing within her own dominions the chilling sway which preserves tranquility by inducing torpor, Austria becomes a propagandist, and goes forth to make proselytes to despotism at the point of the bayonet.

The intelligence of the seizure of Ferrara has produced a great sensation in France and England. It is reported that the British government has sent an order to the Ionian isles to fit out an expedition for Italy—that two regiments were to be immediately transported to Ancona, and that Lord Palmerston had given the Austrian government a notification of the fact.

The crisis of a conflict between legitimacy and freedom, if it should now come on, would be pregnant with great results to France, in which country the reigning dynasty is not believed to represent the opinions and sentiments of the nation. The French papers speak of this with evident chagrin, when they refer to the affair in Italy. A letter in the *Paris Presse*, from Rome, indicates hope, firmness and confidence. It says of Pius IX: "He has the courage of a noble race. Become now the head of the church, and the representative of true liberty in Italy, and perhaps in Europe, he can, if he pleases, make every absolute sovereign tremble on his throne."

The preceding remarks were written before the Hibernia had arrived. By this steamer the following information is received:

Italy still remains in a state of ferment. The town of Ferrara has been invested by the Austrian troops, and a declaration of war seems to be unavoidable, on the part of the Pope. The King of Sardinia has declared his intention to aid the Pontifical power, and England warmly sympathizes with his holiness. Such a war must annihilate the Austrian dynasty in Italy.

Singular Accident.—The New London News states that on Saturday last, during the funeral ceremonies over the body of a Mrs. Kelly, in the north part of that city, and while the friends and neighbors were assembled in the room to view the corpse, the floor gave way and precipitated them all, with the coffin and its contents, into the cellar beneath. What is more singular still, no one was seriously hurt. The house where the accident occurred was quite an old one.

Two thousand five hundred passengers passed over the Albany and Schenectady (Mohawk) Railroad on the 15th inst. This road is increasing very largely in its business. From the 1st to the 19th inst. the excess of its receipts over the same period of last year, was one thousand nine hundred dollars.

Growth of the West.—The Iowa *Sentinel* says that a colony of Hollanders, amounting to about 1,000, have purchased two entire townships in Marion county. They bring their own mechanics and artisans with them, and have selected the site for a town. About 3,000 more are expected to join them by next spring. These are the right kind of emigrants for Iowa.

A story has been going the rounds of the papers that a physician in Manchester (N. H.) had opened the stomach of a patient, and removed several hard substances which had completely obstructed the passage from it. The patient was represented as doing well, and likely to recover. The medical journals were much interested in the case, and many learned comments made upon it, but it now appears from the Manchester American that the patient was a hen! A scurvy jest, truly!

We learn from the recent Report of the Croton Aqueduct Board that nearly seven and a half miles of water pipes were laid down in the streets of New York during the fifteen months ending on the 31st of August last. There are now in use in that city one hundred and seventy-one miles of pipe. The whole number of water permits issued by the Board up to May last, was 15,961.

FROM GEN. TAYLOR'S ARMY.

OFFICIAL ADVICES FROM THE ARMY.—The Washington Union, of Wednesday night, says: "Letters have been received from the camp of Gen. Taylor, who was then near Monterey. The General had made the necessary arrangements for carrying out his late general order for sending all the troops he could spare to Vera Cruz, to join the column of Gen. Scott. In addition to the troops which he kept upon his line of defence, he had detained the light battery of Capt. Deas, to strengthen his line. A mixed force of dragoons and Texans was employed in clearing the country between Camargo and Monterey of the roving guerillas.

"Reports are renewed of the General's intention to visit the United States; but he does not yet mention such an intention in his recent despatches.

"No despatches have been received from Gen. Scott's camp."

HENRY CLAY—SILAS WRIGHT.

The *National Intelligencer* says:—"A gentleman who has just arrived in this city from the White Sulphur Springs, Virginia, informs us that himself and a number of other gentlemen were in Mr. CLAY's room a few minutes after he had heard of the death of the lamented Governor Wright. Mr. Clay was deeply affected, and paid a touchingly beautiful impromptu tribute to the memory of the honored dead by alluding to his generous nature, uncompromising integrity, accomplished powers in debate, and his eminent public services. Though politically opposed, these distinguished statesmen, in their frequent and unrivalled discussions of great national questions in the Senate of the United States, ever retained towards each other the highest respect and the warmest feelings of attachment. Honorable alike to the living and the dead is the incident here related, and we have pleasure in giving it to our readers."

THE BRITISH TARIFF HUMBAG.

The recent news from Europe has knocked out the last prop of the British Tariff humbug. The price of breadstuffs which rose to a great height on account of the famine, and the early closing of the navigation of the Black Sea, is now lower in England than it has been for many years, and nothing but ruin has marked those who engaged in the speculation. By the latest advices, flour was selling in England at 21 shillings sterling, per barrel, which is rather under the price it brings here; and the probability was that it would go down still lower. This must convince the Farmers, and all who feel an interest in good prices for produce, that they have nothing to expect from the repeal of the Tariff of 1842, and the enactment of the British Tariff of 1846.

Besides this, the pernicious consequences of this Locofoco measure, can now be seen, and will soon be felt all around us. Our factories are stopping, and the stores of our merchants are filled with common muslins of British manufacture, the whole trade and consumption of which had, under the Tariff of 1842, been supplied by American factories.—Our own workmen are thus thrown out of employment; our own enterprising manufacturers prostrated and made bankrupts, for the benefit of BRITISH MONOPOLY. The Locofoco advocates of this state of things glory in the downfall and distress of their countrymen, and BOAST of the additional millions imported, the product of foreign countries! the consequences of which will be a total drainage of the precious metals, a prostration of our banks, and a general stagnation and depression, which will throw the earnings of the enterprising man into the hands of the rich and grasping. Is there any American feeling in such politicians? Are they fit to control our policy or rule our destinies. If such policy is to govern us, what shall we become but a colony of Great Britain?—And yet President Polk, Gov. Shunk, and all the office-holding and office-seeking Locofocos are its open and zealous advocates. What American can support them?—*Telegraph*.

Terrible Firemen's Fight.—The occurrence of two or three slight fires in Philadelphia, on Tuesday evening, was made the occasion of a most fearful and disgraceful riot between the Northern Liberty and Lafayette Hose Companies, which resulted in several persons being seriously injured. A young man named King was shot through the knee. John Abell was shot in a vital part, and the ball lodged in the lower part of his abdomen. Another named Winn, was severely wounded in the leg. Two gentlemen, one named Lewis Wolf, the other Graubacker, who were looking on, were knocked down and much hurt.—Also, an elderly lady of the Society of Friends. Only two arrests were made.

The Mormons.—A passenger from the Upper Missouri informs us that the Mormons are in a flourishing condition, in their new location on the fine lands of the Pottawatomie purchase, on both sides of the river, above Council Bluffs. They have planted immense fields of corn—to the extent, it is estimated, of 30,000 acres—and other grain and produce. They have built, also, a town, called "Winter Quarters," which already contains a population of some seven thousand souls. This town is entirely picketed in. It is represented that the Mormons are on friendly terms with the Indians, who rarely molest them though they are accused of occasionally stealing cattle.—*St. Louis Repub.*